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CRUSE ADDRESSES members of the Downtown Promotion Committee during a dinner meeting Tuesday. The mayor-elect told members he is rethinking the downtown area. (Staff photo by Jack C. Ventimiglia)

Cruse rethinking downtown strategy

By JACK C. VENTIMIGLIA
Executive Editor

Recovering downtown business activity and prestige is vital to Granite City Mayor-elect Von Dee Cruse.

"We've got to turn our town around," Cruse told the Downtown Promotion Committee Tuesday. He said opinions about the city are formed when visitors go downtown. If they don't like what they see, he said, businessmen and potential residents may locate elsewhere.

TO HELP revitalize downtown, Cruse said he is rethinking his campaign statement that a downtown study is needed. He said Mayor Paul Schuler and members of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce have a plan and were near to hiring a coordinator prior to the election. He said he will study the plan and determine its adequacy.

If the decision to hire a coordinator is made, the burden of improving the area's economy can not rest on one person's shoulders, Cruse said, urging the merchants to consider what they can do to help shape the area's future.

"The first thing we've got to do is we've got to do a lot ourselves," the mayor-elect said.

members of the Downtown Promotion Committee during a dinner meeting Tuesday. The mayor-elect told members he is rethinking the downtown area. (Staff photo by Jack C. Ventimiglia)

CREATING PRIDE in the community and enthusiasm, working to clean the city's image so it is not considered the "dirty little steel town across the river," are vital to the city's welfare, he said.

The group applauded Cruse's stand to work for the downtown area's betterment, and the floor opened to questions on other matters.

Concerning his ability to work with the aldermen, Cruse said he believes he can work with each alderman. He said he did not get involved in aldermanic races, averting the possible result of bad feelings.

CONCERNING CITY committees, Cruse said it is within the mayor's power to choose committee members. The aldermen decide who will fill committee posts, with the mayor being able to choose committee chairmen.

Concerning his availability, Cruse said, "Just call." Though he said he will not be in the office at all times, he will put in a full week every week.

"I'm going to be a full-time mayor," Cruse said, reiterating a campaign pledge. "I welcome the opportunity for people to come up."

Madison City Council finds Water line expensive

By DONNA KIMBRO
Staff writer

Part of an agreement between Madison and the Illinois-American Water Co. on extending a water main to annexed areas was amended Tuesday night's City Council meeting.

The change means that the city will be responsible for maintenance and repair of water service for a seven-year period, or until the city might seek to change its role in the project (by notifying the water firm a year in advance).

THE PLAN, approved by the council March 26, provided after the water line was sold to Madison, Illinois-American would then lease it from the city and agree to repair and

maintain the lines. One of the changes Tuesday night was that the city will pay only the actual cost of repairs.

Ninety days after installation of the line, a written accounting will be submitted to the council by the water company, outlining the cost incurred in construction.

In the event that the estimated cost, \$214,000, exceeds the actual cost of the line, the company will make a refund to the city. If the estimate is lower than the cost, the added amount will be applied as an offset against future refunds that might become due under the agreement.

THE ANNEXED property is in St. Clair County and sales taxes related

to activities there will now be paid to Madison in Madison County, officials said.

It was estimated this could cause a loss of 5 percent in sales tax revenue to St. Clair from the unincorporated area annexed by the municipality. A St. Clair County official was quoted as saying the county is likely to oppose the financial loss.

Alderman Donald Garrett asked if there was any reason the water line maintenance change had to be approved immediately. He noted that newly-elected council members are to be sworn in next month.

IN RESPONSE, Acting Mayor Thomas Gordon said that when the annexation was approved at a recent council meeting, the petitioners

were promised water service as well as police and fire protection from Madison.

"I think we have to honor that promise," he said. "With the potential of \$80,000 coming into the city through sales taxes—and the loss of revenue from businesses in the Industrial Park complex—I don't think we can put this off."

"This is a long-term investment of \$214,000 and the rationale is to bring more revenue into the city through other business places locating in the area" of Bend Road and along old Highway 67 east of Route 203 to the Gateway Midstate Truck Plaza. At the end of the discussion, the council adopted the changes in the ordinance.

Teen Town to reopen in GC

By SUSAN SIGNAIG-WEICH

Granite City took its first step Tuesday night toward reestablishing a Teen Town for the city's youth.

Teen Town, which consisted of dances and programs for youth, was formerly sponsored by the Tri-City Area YMCA. The program was dropped about 20 years ago.

BUT AT THE ANNUAL town meeting, attended by about 100 persons, a motion was approved to allow a teen group to use the Township Hall for its activities one night a week.

The motion was made by Alderman Woodrow "Woody" Moad, 6th Ward.

"Our children are of vital interest to the city because they represent our future," Moad said. "They need a place to go where they can be supervised."

GRANITE CITY Township Supervisor Nelson "Nellie" Hagnauer agreed with Moad, saying he is 100 percent in favor of having a place for the teens.

He did caution those present at the town meeting, though, about the need for proper supervision.

"You see those windows lining the side of the building?" Hagnauer asked. "A crack in one of those windows costs \$400 to repair."

HAGNAUER URGED whoever organizes the teen activities to make sure the area is policed.

John Petish Sr., a senior citizen, said he will volunteer to help supervise the teen events.

Why are we worried about the windows? Petish asked. "They could be broken just as easily with no one in the building."



TEEN TOWN REVIVED? About 100 persons present at annual Granite City town meeting Tuesday approved a motion to allow a teen group to use the Township Hall for activities once a week. Alderman Woodrow "Woody" Moad led the move, in an effort to make reinstatement of the former YMCA program a reality. The above picture shows one of the teen dances sponsored by the YMCA 20 years ago. (Press-Record file photo)

"THIS BUILDING is here to be used. And the young people have to have some place to go."

One woman, who did not wish to be identified, raised other questions about the use of the Township Hall by teenagers. She said there have been many problems with commercially operated teen centers, including injuries to young people as a result of fights.

Another senior, Lucille Pierce, echoed the other woman's concerns.

"WHY CAN'T THEY (teens) get another place to have their activities?" Pierce asked. "They'll tear this place up."

But another woman disagreed, saying these types of problems could be avoided with supervision.

"We need a place for good kids to attend," she said. "And this is the

logical place—it's large enough to hold a big group."

AFTER THE MEETING, Moad said he was happy about the outcome.

"Teen Town will finally become a reality," Moad said, adding that the establishment of a youth center has

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Isenburg named Nameoki collector

By SUSANNE INDELICATO

The Nameoki Township Board of Trustees on Monday night appointed Stephen F. Isenburg as the township's tax collector. He is filling the vacancy left by former collector Norman Hall, who resigned from the post Feb. 28.

Isenburg was elected township tax collector in the April 2 election and was to start serving a four-year term Jan. 1, 1986. Instead, township officials voted to allow him to begin serving immediately due to the vacancy in the office.

FOLLOWING HIS appointment, Nameoki Township Clerk Donald "Lee" Ridgeway swore him in. After the swearing-in, Trustee Helen Hawkins, who voted against Isenburg's appointment, asked, "Steve,

don't you think it's unconstitutional to tax the people twice for your duties?"

Isenburg responded, "I don't feel it's unconstitutional because we're not taxing the people twice."

Hawkins led an unsuccessful petition drive in an effort to abolish the position of township collector. She told the board that she thought the members had agreed not to appoint a replacement for Hall.

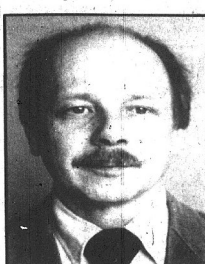
ISENBURG, 40, of 2179 Northland Drive was born in Peoria but has lived in the Granite City area 17 years. He is employed as a teacher with the Granite City School District and has a bachelor of science degree from Illinois State University. He also has served as an Illinois General Assembly legislative intern for Sangamon State University.

Isenburg is Democratic committeeman for Nameoki Township Precinct 2. He also is a member of the Nameoki United Methodist Church, Tri-Cities United Way Budget and Allocations Committee, Hawkinsville School PTA and American Federation of Teachers Local 743.

He and his wife, Jane, have two children.

SUPERVISOR Harry Briggs, who was among the township officials re-elected last week, next commented, "A new board takes over the first of May."

"I think we'll get accomplished what we started out to get accomplished," Briggs' ticket swept all the offices up for election this year.



STEPHEN ISENBURG

Worthen questions hiring of Redmond

By DAVE WHALEY

One member of the Granite City School Board said at Tuesday night's board meeting he felt the schools would have helped maintain stability by hiring a new superintendent from within the district.

Monroe Worthen, who had voted "no" April 3 on hiring Dr. Max Redmond of Hays, Mo., as superintendent of District 9 schools, said in a statement he would have preferred the vote to be unanimous instead of 5-2. However, a "yes" vote would have been a failure to vote my true feelings," he said.

"FOR ABOUT the last four or five years, the district has been involved in serious turmoil, much of which was due to declining enrollment and declining revenue," Worthen said. "This district needs two or three years of stability."

I feel our chance for stability would have been much greater had we selected a superintendent from (applicants) within the district.

"We have people who are qualified and capable within our own administrative staff and could handle the job quite well."

WORTHEN ADDED there was one administrator in particular who had been considered.

"But it's not really worth it now to bring out his name," he said. Worthen also had questioned the new man's salary.

"Due to our financial condition, our teachers, administrators and other employees of the district are finishing their second year without an increase in salary," he said. "The incoming superintendent will

receive a salary of \$55,000. This is \$17,500 more than his current salary and more than \$2,000 above the salary of our superintendent who was here for 18 years (B.J. Davis)."

HAD THE SALARY been left open, as was suggested, we could have hired a replacement from outside or inside for approximately \$45,000."

Board President Kelly Hogan, who voted for Redmond, said an open salary was discussed when the search committee visited the board in November.

"I do respect Monroe Worthen for voting his true feelings," Hogan said. "There was one member who did not."

HOGAN SAID he saw no problem with the new superintendent getting \$2,000 more than Davis was getting at the time he was relieved of his duties last summer.

"I feel that for a period of time, B.J. Davis did a fine job as superintendent," Hogan said. "But last year, I don't feel \$53,000 was a justifiable salary. You have to base the salary on the job that will be done."

Hogan said the district went from a \$6 million budget surplus in 1976 to an \$8.2 million deficit in 1982.

"That doesn't say much for the job that was being done by our district," he said. "Sure, our money from the state was cut, but when that happens, our expenditures need to be cut. That didn't happen."

Hogan said the \$55,000 for Redmond will be "some of the best money spent in this school district in the last 10 years."

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Robert Metcalf
Helen Oberlin
Frieda Pufall
Roy Stancic
Clara Wadlow
LaVerne Wilson
Helena Wright

weather

Partly cloudy and warmer today with the high near 70. The low tonight in the low 50s. Partly cloudy Friday with a 20 percent chance for afternoon showers, the high in the low 70s. The extended forecast for this weekend is mild, with the highs in the upper 60s and the lows in the upper 40s.

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Chamber Clean-up Campaign scheduled for this Saturday

By BILL WINTER

The Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce will launch its sixth annual community-wide clean-up campaign Saturday with 900 Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts helping "stash the trash."

Neighborhoods, parks and roadways will be made neat by the young people, with McDonald's, Pepsi Cola and Shasta Beverages providing refreshments and clean-up materials.

THE WOMEN'S Division of the Chamber will award clean-up patches to each participating scout. Businesses and residents are being urged to emphasize clean-up, picking up and fix-up activities during the coming week.

City street departments and trash pickup firms will work closely with

the Chamber and its Community Betterment Committee, which organizes projects to improve the local area's quality of life.

EXTRA DUMPSTERS will be located Saturday at 836 Niederjohaus Ave., on the Nameoki School parking lot and along Prolog Street, it was announced today.

Normal trash pickups will continue on the regularly designated days.

The overall campaign is set for April 13-20 and activities are believed likely to continue afterward.

Families are being encouraged to clean up their yards, gardens, alleys, basements and attics, getting rid of unwanted items, and perhaps also doing a bit of painting.

Ray Edwards is chairman of the coordinating group, the Chamber's Community Betterment Committee.



DAVID RUEBHAUSEN (seated at right) and Walter Milton of the Granite City Police Department receive an award March 26 for outstanding teamwork during the hostage situation at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in 1983 that also earned Ruebhausen a Medal of Valor. Behind the officers are, left to right, Dick Portell, Granite City safety director; Sixth Ward Alderman Steve Sollich; Mayor Paul Schuler; and Fifth Ward Alderman Lloyd Bailey. Safety awards also were given to the Sanitation and Inspection Departments (one year), City Hall (two years) and the Humane Department (three years) for having accumulated certain amounts of work with no lost time for injury on duty. The Sewage Treatment Plant received honorable mention for having only three days off in a year for injury on duty.

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State Police get status as department

Gov. James R. Thompson has issued executive orders changing the name of the Department of Law Enforcement to the Department of State Police and creating the Department of Historic Preservation.

In addition to the new name designation for the Department of Law Enforcement, Executive Order Number 3 changes the names of two divisions in the department.

The Division of State Police becomes the Division of State Troopers and the Division of Support Services becomes the Division of Forensic Services and Identification.

The names of the three remaining divisions of the Department — Administration, Criminal Investigation, and Internal Investigation will remain the same.

Executive Order Number 3 will correct the longstanding identity problem which has hampered operations at the Department of Law Enforcement, the governor said. "Because the public and some law enforcement agencies did not understand the duties of the five divisions of the department, operations were sometimes delayed by misguided or improper requests for services."

"Establishing a consistent and effective identity for the State's leading police department completes the process that was begun when I issued the order for reorganization in 1976," he said. Thompson said the order affects only the name of the department and the divisions and in no way changes current structures.

Adopting the universally understood title of state police will eliminate misunderstandings concerning the department's purpose and responsibility," he said.

And the Division of Forensic Services and Identification will be recognized as housing the state crime laboratories and crime scene services, as well as being the central repository for all criminal history records in the State.

ARRESTED ON 3 WARRANTS
Michael G. Baggot, 28, of 2650 Edison Ave. was arrested by Madison County deputies at 3:54 a.m. Saturday on three Granite City traffic warrants. Bond has been set at \$7,500 on a driving under the influence of alcohol charge, \$1,000 on driving while his license was expired and \$2,500 on failure to pay a fine.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OFFICERS. They were installed in ceremonies conducted at the KC Hall followed by a social hour. Front row from left, Ed Evans, advocate, Michael DeRuntz, grand knight, Steve Schordan, deputy grand knight, Ed Lenz Sr., trustee, Second row, Aaron Meyer, warden, Jim Gibbs, outside guard, Frank Greenwald, inside guard, Al Sanders, trustee and Frank Vroba, treasurer. Not present for the picture were, Frank Kierski, trustee, T. A. Feeler, financial secretary, Andy Miosky, recorder, the Rev. Frank Westhoff, chaplain, and Ed Boyer, chancellor.

False-alarm penalty voided

By SUSANNE INDELICATO
Staff writer

Madison County Associate Judge Charles V. Romani Jr. has ruled that the county's ordinance regarding false-alarm penalties is unconstitutional.

According to Madison County Associate State's Attorney John Cernkovich, the judge "indicated that the idea was basically good, but it (the ordinance) leaves something to be desired in the way it was drawn up."

Cernkovich said Romani agreed with Edwardsville attorney Gary Peel that the ordinance was vague in its definition of what constituted a false alarm and in indicating who might be responsible for paying a penalty for a false alarm.

Peel explained that he was hired by the Mississippi Valley Alarm Co. to represent the Hamel Elementary School, which uses an alarm system provided by Mississippi Valley.

The school had received a ticket for violating the false-alarm ordinance. That law provided fines of \$25 each for the third and fourth false alarms at any business in one year. The penalty for each false alarm after that was \$50.

Cernkovich said he expects the Madison County Board will rewrite

the ordinance to resolve the question of whether an alarm is "false" if it actually scares off a burglar before police arrive on the scene.

The board also should, according to Romani's ruling, decide who would pay the penalty—a property owner, business tenant, business manager, employee or someone else.

County Board Chairman Nelson Hagnauer is expected to discuss the ordinance with sheriff's department and state's attorney officials. Hagnauer could not be reached for comment on the ruling.

Nameoki Township Attorney Irvin State Jr. said he, too, thought the ordinance was vague. Last January, Nameoki Township paid \$150 in county fines after sheriff's deputies responded to several false alarms at the township building.

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Receives national honor

Mary Ann Bury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bury, 101 Riviera Drive, has been notified she has qualified as a member of the National Deans' List, a special award for outstanding students. Only one-half of one percent of the nation's college students qualify for this award. She received a degree in business administration from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville in December.

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ANNUAL CLEAN-UP April 13-20 will be started Saturday by the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce. Left to right are Lacey Randolph, Industrial Subcommittee chairman, James Pennkamp, Chamber executive vice president, Walter Milion of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., Carl Boczenos, Industrial co-chairman, Shirley Adams, the cleanup campaign's public relations chairman, Boy Scout District Executive Brian Garavalia and Girl Scout District Advisor Char McAllister. Not shown are Ray Edwards, Community Betterment chairman, Linda Hervatin of McDonald's and Norman Klaas of Shasta Beverages. Residents are being asked to cooperate with the Scouts this Saturday by cleaning up their lawns, alleys, gardens, basements and attics.

Senior bingo games raise legal questions

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH
Staff writer

A motion by Alderman Woodrow "Woody" Moad, to allow senior citizens to conduct bingo one night a week in the Township Hall was defeated at the annual town meeting Tuesday night.

The motion appeared to have the public's support, until it was learned that bingo games are not legal in the hall.

According to Township Attorney William Schooley there is "no way" that bingo can be held in the hall. He said both the sponsoring organization and the building would be required to get a license before such a program could be considered.

Schooley said that even if the spon-

soring agency got a bingo license, the facility does not qualify for one, because it is a municipal building.

Previous to Schooley's legal opinion, the seniors held bingo games during the daytime every Friday at the hall for the past 18 months.

Nelson "Nellie" Hagauer, Granite City Township supervisor, told those present Tuesday that the Friday bingo will be stopped.

"I have been discussing this with the township attorney and bingo is not legal here," Hagauer said. "I'm sorry to see this thing brought up — we'll stop bingo on Friday."

Agreement final on lead pollution study

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA), the federal EPA and the Office of Attorney General have come to terms with N.L. Industries (formerly National Lead) and TaraCorp of Granite City to fund a pollution study and assessment of the Granite City lead smelter and reclamation facility.

The 25-acre smelter and nearby waste pile is one of 11 proposed Superfund sites in Illinois. Lead contamination is primarily attributed to the site, which contains an estimated 225,000 tons of broken batteries, furnace slag and other lead wastes.

Through a Superfund administrative order, N.L. Industries has consented to a privately-financed remedial investigation and feasibility study of lead pollution problems in Granite City, Madison and Venice.

The 15-month study will evaluate the extent of pollution in these areas, identify wastes present, examine hydrogeologic conditions, soil, groundwater, surface water and air quality.

As part of the study, N.L. Industries will also be responsible for developing clean-up options through available waste management technologies.

Superfund requires a community relations program to encourage public input and review of proposed

clean up alternatives. The remedial investigation and feasibility study must be approved by both state and federal authorities.

TaraCorp, which purchased the recycling facility in 1979 from N.L. Industries, has filed for reorganization in U.S. Bankruptcy Court. The State of Illinois has negotiated a \$500,000 expenditure from TaraCorp to fund its share of the necessary study and subsequent clean-up work, subject to approval by the court.

In addition, N.L. Industries has agreed to pay \$60,000 to the Illinois Hazardous Waste Fund. The fund contains monies set aside for hazardous waste clean up work at abandoned sites.

St. Thomas Road will be resurfaced

St. Thomas Road in Mitchell is to be resurfaced at a cost of about \$123,000.

In addition, \$84,000 is being made available by the Illinois Department of Transportation to patch pavement on Route 3 between the Hartford canal and Northgate Drive here.

The projects are part of a \$34 million maintenance and resurfacing program intended to fight the potholes that developed in many key roadways during the winter.

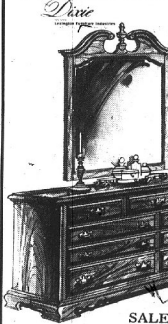
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Lottery planning year subscription

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Starting this summer, the lottery will offer subscriptions for up to a year. Players may pick only a single set of numbers for each subscription.

Meanwhile, a tally showed ticket sales have exceeded the previous annual record, which was \$912 million in July 1983-June 1984. In only the first nine months of the 1984-85 fiscal year, the total reached \$917 million.

Easter holiday guests

Mrs. Ermel Williams and daughters, Dorothy Williams and Connie Kraus, all of Granite City, and her grandson, Steve Kraus of the U.S. Navy in California, were guests for the Easter holidays of David Williams of the U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, D.C. David was formerly the assistant pastor of the First Assembly of God in Granite City.



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Happy days may be here again

As we noted in the April 10 Granite City Journal, unemployment is taking an unusually good turn for this time of year - downward - in the Madison, St. Clair, Clinton, Jersey and Monroe counties region. Madison County jobless rolls have dropped from 12 to 11.5 percent and Granite City area unemployment has decreased from 14.9 to 12.9 percent in the latest count.

Going beyond these statistics, a later state tally shows the Illinois jobless rate for March fell to 7.7 percent, a decline of more than a full percentage point from the previous month and the lowest since July 1981.

The 4 percent difference between Illinois and U.S. joblessness in March was the lowest since December 1981, when the state figure was 8.9 and the national rate was 8.5 percent.

In the words of Gov. James R. Thompson, who is happy to point with pride to such gains, "Our state is contributing and taking part in the nation's

recovery. Job recalls in Illinois exceeded layoffs by a 2:1 margin last month."

Backing up his optimism, the Illinois Bureau of the Budget estimates 4,600,000 are working in this state, compared to the 4,604,000 jobs in 1977. There were numerous peaks and valleys in the mid-1970s and early 1980s, leading up to what is now called a pattern of "slow and steady but sure" advances.

Perhaps the current widespread emphasis on private-sector job creation is paying dividends.

The Republican state and national administrations may not be quite ready to adopt that morale-boosting Democratic song of the 1930s, "Happy Days Are Here Again." But they seem convinced that Americans and Illinoisans ought to "keep on keeping on" with what they have been doing lately - giving top priority to prudent fiscal management in government and business, combined with aggressive economic development activities.

Government now close to home

There was hearty approval when Illinois Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan established a Granite City regional office serving the legal needs of citizens in Madison, Bond, Calhoun, Fayette, Greene, Jersey, Macoupin and Montgomery counties. This is not only an important population center, part of one of America's largest metropolitan areas, but also a community conveniently located at the midpoint of that eight-county territory.

As local residents are becoming increasingly aware, the regional office is located at 1314 Niedringhaus Ave. and is headed by Assistant Attorney General Dennis Orsey.

Now, its impact is being expanded, with plans completed for satellite offices in five of the eight counties.

Already in operation, these satellite centers are the Alton Chamber of Commerce building, which

will be staffed on each first Wednesday to serve northern Madison County residents; the Macoupin County Courthouse, Carlinville, first and third Wednesdays; the Calhoun County Courthouse, Hardin, third Wednesdays; the Carrollton Municipal Building in Greene County, first and third Wednesdays; and the Jerseyville City Hall in Jersey County, first and third Wednesdays.

State's attorneys and other officials in the various counties cooperated with Hartigan and Orsey in establishing the network of offices.

As Hartigan sees it, the offices are an appropriate, cost-effective use for a portion of his agency's customary budget. Certainly, they are helping to bring state government and many of its services mighty close to home for citizens here and elsewhere.

Zoning board is reorganized

By DONNA KIMBRO

Staff writer
A lengthy discussion at the April 9 Madison City Council meeting began when Acting Mayor Thomas Gordon announced appointments to the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Of six members proposed, five were approved by the council and appointment of Mike Macek was blocked on a 6-2 vote. Ida Dant and Gordon supported Macek but were outvoted.

Gordon and City Attorney Casper Nghohossian said the acting mayor was proceeding with appointments now—even though new city officials are to be sworn in next month—to avoid anticipated problems at an April 18 hearing.

The hearing is on an appeal of a ruling by John Dutko, city building inspector. Dutko issued a stop order to Gerald Moss, owner and operator of a trucking firm in Madison, blocking any transfer of a heavy railroad freight car atop a truck bed.

"THE ATTORNEY SAID in his opinion it would be best to reorganize the board before the hearing so that it will be a fully-constituted body. With lapsed appointments of board members renewed, he said, its decision is more likely to be upheld in court if any of the interested persons are dissatisfied with the outcome."

It was related that, over the years, some members of the zoning board

have continued to serve until they received another appointment or their replacement was named.

Alderman Donald Garrett questioned the immediate need to appoint board members before newly-elected council members take office.

Garrett asked City Clerk John Belcoff, mayor-elect, if he knew the appointments were going to be announced at Tuesday's meeting and if they were being made with his agreement.

BELCOFF REPLIED that he believes the present zoning board was "grandfathered in" and thus able to continue serving for the time being. "No," he said, he had not been told other appointments would be made Tuesday night.

Alderman Charles Rockett made a motion to table the appointments but it was defeated by a 6-2 vote.

To eliminate any further problems relating to zoning board appointments, Ordinance 1978, an updated document with specific dates for each board member to serve, was approved.

GORDON THEN announced each individual selection for approval.

They included: Lawrence Brinker, who will serve a 2-year term; John Piechocinski, 3-year term; Richard Harper, 5 years; George Amisesh, 6 years—and also named chairman of the board—and

James Shipcoff, 7-year term. All were approved without opposition. Macek, named for a 3-year post, was rejected by the aldermen.

In other business, the council agreed to pay bills amounting to \$52,324 and heard a report from Dutko that 32 building and remodeling permits were issued since the previous meeting.

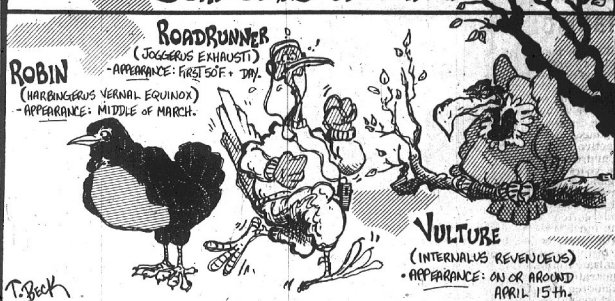
APPROVAL was granted to Betty Cromer to operate a beauty shop at 925 Lee Ave. and to Mary Rousseau to operate a tavern at 1232 Iowa St., on the recommendation of the Zoning Board of Appeals.

A letter from the Army in St. Louis commended Steve Skokio, a Madison police officer, for his assistance in capturing and arresting a man who damaged government property at the Granite City Army installation entrance. The man ran from the scene and, after being apprehended, was charged on 10 counts.

Garrett was appointed by the mayor to attend a public meeting and hearing set for 7 p.m. Thursday, April 18, at the Granite City Township Building on proposed utility rate hikes.

The aldermen agreed to annex property of Ann E. Barzoff and Charles P. Barzoff, located in St. Clair County and adjacent to land previously annexed to the City of Madison by the council.

SURE SIGNS of SPRING



Readers React



DAVID JENKINS



ALBERT FROENLING



CHARLES MEYER



JANICE BAKER

Income tax filing

The deadline for filing income tax returns to the state and federal governments is Monday. Area residents were asked Wednesday whether they had filed their returns yet. Their reactions follow:

David Jenkins, Granite City
"Not yet, I'm in the process. I'm don't usually wait until the last minute, but the last couple of years I have. I'm paid as a subcontractor, and there's a little more bookwork involved."

Albert Froenling, Glen Carbon
"No. I usually wait because I haven't finished them yet, but I expect to file by Friday."

Charles Meyer, Granite City
"No. I usually wait. I just don't get around to it."

Janice Baker, Granite City
"No. I usually wait because I'm self-employed and there's more bookwork."

The Forum...

Our readers respond

Name and address must accompany each letter but will not be revealed if anonymity is requested. Communications of less than 250 words will be given preference. All are subject to condensation and grammatical changes. Those libelous or not in good taste will be rejected or edited.

Shameful conduct by many GC pet owners

To the Editor:
In reference to a recent article in which Alderman Fisk stated that, according to City Inspector Daves, more than 100 dogs had been destroyed last month alone by the Humane Department, the people of Granite City should be ashamed, certainly not proud of these statistics.

True, sometimes it is a necessity to give up a pet, but every effort should be made to find a home for it. No doubt the majority of this

number of dogs killed is comprised of pets simply no longer wanted, strays unclaimed, and litters of puppies.

What a terrible waste! All due to irresponsible pet owners - the ones who allow their dogs to roam and, upon them being impounded, do not make any attempt to reclaim them. And the ones owning females in season and allowing them to run free, not having them spayed, thus producing another litter to be dumped at the pound - or worse, dumped along the roadside.

All puppies and kittens are cute and appealing, but upon reaching adulthood, many are no longer wanted.

If people do not seriously care enough about their pets to assume responsibility for them, why do they get them in the first place?

It would be interesting to see these irresponsible pet owners spend a day at the pound and watch these poor animals put to death.

MARGE PEMBERTON
Rural Route 2

A senior tips her hat to the Hagnauers

To the Editor,
I am a senior citizen in Granite City. I have lived here all my life. In answer to Mrs. Crawley, does she have the views of all the citizens or just a few?

We have one of the finest buildings for our senior citizens in the state of Illinois. Do they know who is responsible for it being there?

You should realize that some of the other people in the city would like to have the hall also. The senior citizens have the hall every day for lunches which are served. This building is for all the citizens of

Granite City to use.

Mrs. Crawley says that she is disappointed at the way the requests are handled. She says that she does not have a chance to get an appointment to see Mr. Hagnauer. They use the center every day and Mrs. Hagnauer is there every day. Someone is not telling the truth.

This is election time in the city and it seems that a few people that have not been catered to do not like it. We have a very fine senior citizens program in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Hagnauer give a lot of their free time to these people.

I am also a retired person. I believe that we have some very fine people that help us. I can not see where a few people have the right to speak for all the senior citizens and retired persons.

I take my hat off to Mr. and Mrs. Hagnauer for a job well done. We should have a lot more people in the city of Granite to do as good a job as they have done.

I am one senior citizen and retired person in the city of Granite that thanks these two fine people. I am sure I speak for many more.

CONCERNED SENIOR CITIZEN

New city, school leaders need public's help

To the Editor:
I congratulate the newly elected mayor, Von Dee Cruse, and extend a welcome to our new superintendent of schools, Dr. Max Redmond.

I thank Mayor Paul Schuler for his years of service. Additionally, I thank Frank Kraus for his excellent leadership during the past year as school superintendent.

We as citizens have an obligation to our children and ourselves to improve and continue the growth of our

city and its services. We must also insure our children the best education possible. We cannot have one without the other.

I pledge my help and support to Cruse and Redmond. I would like to challenge citizens, aldermen, educators, businesses and industries to get involved in city government and our school district.

The citizens of this community should their support and concern in November by passing the school bond issue. Let's continue our in-

volvement by working with our city officials and school board.

Together, we can continue to build pride in our community and make Granite City one of the most sought-after areas to live, work and go to school in Southern Illinois.

I know the people of this community are up to the challenge. Let's take advantage of our opportunities and not let them slip through our fingers.

MACK JOHNSON
2320 Dwight Drive

Garnishment of employees' wages explained

To the Editor:
I am writing to request that you print a correction to information provided on March 24.

An advertising column states, "Under a garnishment, 15 percent of the person's wages will be withheld."

For your information, I have quoted Illinois Revised Statutes, Chapter 110, Section 12-803 below:

"Maximum wages subject to collection. The maximum wages, salary, commissions and bonuses subject to collection under a deduction order, for any work week shall not exceed the lesser of (1) 15 percent of such gross amount paid for that week or (2) the amount by

which disposable earnings for a week exceed 30 times the Federal Minimum Hourly Wage prescribed by Section 206(a)(1) of Title 29 of the United States Code, as amended, in effect at the time the amounts are payable.

"This provision (and no other) applies irrespective of the place where the compensation was earned or payable and the state where the employee resides.

"No amounts required by law to be withheld may be taken from the amount collected by the creditor. The term 'disposable earnings' means that part of the earnings of any individual remaining after the deduction from those earnings of

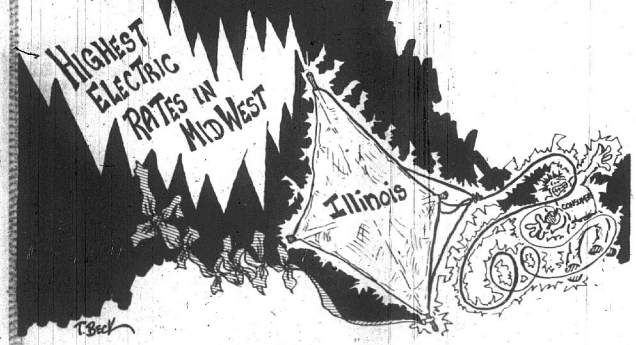
any amounts required by law to be withheld. P.A. 82-280."

In representing low-income clients I frequently encounter the problem of employers' withholding 15 percent of the garnished employee's wages. Fifteen percent of gross wages is the maximum that can be withheld.

The wage earner must always take home the first \$100.50 of wages per week after taxes (\$100.50 is 30 times the current federal minimum wage of \$3.35 per hour).

Wages paid in excess of \$100.50 may be withheld pursuant to a garnishment in an amount up to but not in excess of 15 percent of gross weekly wages.

ROBIN J. TALBERT
Attorney



Screen future Madison pupils

Madison public schools will conduct their annual screening of three- and four-year-old children on April 23, 24 and 25. The schools will assess the following developmental areas: cognitive-verbal, fine motor, gross motor, speech and expressive language, hearing, vision, social-affective and medical history.

Children who will attain the age of five years by Dec. 1, 1985, will be eligible to register for Kindergarten classes.

To register a child for kindergarten, the parent or guardian must present the child's birth certificate or some other legal proof of birth, provide the child's immunization record, and pay a \$5 registration and workbook fee.

Children ages three, four, five who need special services may be referred to the early childhood program.

"So that we can provide the best service to you and our child, parents are asked to call the schools for appointments on April 12, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19," a spokesman said.

The screening schedule will be: Blair School, 876-4818, Tuesday, April 23, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Harris School, 877-6864, Wednesday, April 24, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Thursday, April 25, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Judge Johnson in serious condition

Madison County Circuit Court Judge William E. Johnson is in serious condition at Firmin Desloge Hospital in St. Louis.

Johnson, 54, who was re-elected in 1984, was transferred to Desloge from Oliver C. Anderson Hospital, Maryville, where he was admitted April 3 after being stricken. He remained a patient in the intensive care unit of the St. Louis hospital Wednesday.

The circuit court judge may have suffered a subarachnoid hemorrhage, or a temporary interruption in the blood flow to the brain, a condition that may precede a stroke, it was learned.

Mobile home zoning plans to be decided

The Madison County Board will consider a request for a special use permit to continue the use of a mobile home on Lots 41 and 42 in Block 1 of the McNair Addition to Madison. The board meets at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 17.

Richard and Glenda Beck, owners and occupants, want to continue the use of a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Nameski Township. The Madison County Zoning Board of Appeals has recommended that the permit be approved.

The Madison County Zoning Board of Appeals will meet at 9 a.m. Monday, April 22, at 316 Terry Street, Eagle Park Acres. The owner of the property, John Baskett, has requested a special use permit to continue placement of a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Venice Township.

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Funeral services here for Gregory Alvarado

Funeral services were conducted at 9 a.m. Tuesday, April 9, at St. Joseph Catholic Church for Gregory J. Alvarado, 62, of 1607 Poplar St. He died at 7:15 a.m. Saturday, April 6, 1985, at his home. Born in Fairmont City, Ill., he lived in this area for 36 years.

Mr. Alvarado worked at the Granite City Army Installation for 25 years and retired in 1979. He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Jennie Alvarado; one son, Gerard Alvarado, Granite City; four daughters, Mrs. Terry (Antoinette) Keeneth of Evansville, Ind., Mrs. John (Rebecca) Cooper and Miss Teresa Alvarado, both of Granite City; and Mrs. Jim (Rozann) Turner of Rantoul, Ill.; four brothers, Robert, Washington Park, Harold, St. Louis, and Philip and Joe, both of Fairmont City; two sisters, Miss Rose Alvarado, Chicago, and Mrs. Agnes Martinez, San Bernardino, Calif.; and six grandchildren.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township, and visitation was Monday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Nredinghaus Ave.



DAVE HAWTHORNE

Salvation Army to recognize its volunteers here

The annual Salvation Army advisory board and volunteer recognition dinner is set for 6 p.m. April 23 at the SA Center, 5007 E. 23rd St. Reservations at \$6 each are being telephoned to 451-7957.

Dave Hawthorne, keynote speaker, is the regional coordinator of public relations for Country Companies, the Illinois Farm Bureau affiliated insurance company headquartered in Bloomington.

His responsibilities include presentation of 400 programs each year on various health, personal improvement, and safety-related topics, as well as television and radio interviews.

He is affiliated with Jerry Robinson and Associates as a consultant regarding stress and health management. He has presented seminars and workshops to such groups as the American Bankers Association, Farm Family Insurance Co. of New York, Farmers Home Administration of Iowa and Missouri, and many others.

Hawthorne also speaks on time management, communication, attitudes and problem solving.

A member of the National Speakers Association, Gateway Speakers Association and American Society for Training and Development, he lives in Greenville with his wife, Carla, his daughter, Laura, and his son, Patrick.

Sterling Schoen's Granite City junior high school swing choir will entertain and SA Board Chairman Richard Sauss will be toastmaster. The local Salvation Army officers are Captain LaVern Poling and his wife, Captain Linda Poling.

POSTS APPEARANCE WARRANT
Richard Carroll, 42, of 215 Kern St., Venice, was arrested at home April 6 on an active warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of reckless conduct. He was released upon posting \$202 bail pending an April 19 appearance in the Granite City court.

AUTO RADIATOR IS TAKEN
A radiator and battery were taken from a 1973 auto parked on the White Auto Sales lot, Lester White reported April 4.



Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

BOYS
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knapp, 2520 Edwards St., April 8, Matthew Willard, 8 pounds, 8 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hutzik, 1510 Fifth St., Madison, April 9, Matthew Nicholas, 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Births recorded at Oliver Anderson Hospital, Maryville, include:

GIRLS
Mr. and Mrs. Gary (Katherine) Doty, Granite City, April 3, Mary Ann, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn (Mary) Luckey, Granite City, April 3, Mary Ann, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Lance (Kathleen) Kennerly, Granite City, April 5, Jennifer, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

BOYS
Mr. and Mrs. Jeramie (Bonnie) Stockton, Granite City, April 2, Matthew, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul (Karen) Costello, Granite City, April 2, Matthew, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. Shannon (Alba) Walsh, Granite City, April 4, Matthew, 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

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Contrasting attitudes by township, Moose

To the Editor:
We senior citizens who attended the City Council meeting March 28 know that Juanita Crawley did not say anything bad about the Senior Citizen Center or Mr. Hagnauer. We know that the Township Hall is not for seniors alone, but we are also township people who pay our taxes to the township. Counseling is a wonderful person who loves all the seniors and works hard for the center.

Along with other seniors, she has

craft shows, bake sales and bingo to earn money to benefit the seniors. She helped us form a band of men and women to entertain seniors at the center and nursing homes. This handicapped lady is a loving, giving person who wants to help everyone. We were not able to obtain the Township Hall in March for our bingo so the Moose Lodge offered their hall to the seniors. A "Welcome, Seniors" sign was placed on the door to the hall. Tables were put up, and bingo cards, covers and a bingo machine were made available to the seniors.

A Moose member popped popcorn for 117 seniors who braved the stormy night of March 30. Coffee was served and cookies donated by

friends were enjoyed. The seniors who signed their names on a petition stating that we have a good center did not mean to hurt Juanita. They had no knowledge that their names with the heading "Baldersdash," would be put in the newspaper. We don't know who wrote this article but we do know it was not the seniors.

We, the undersigned, know you asked questions put to you by some seniors. Juanita. We and other seniors love you, and we are proud to call you our friend.

GERTRUDE BOSKAY
GLADYS FREEMAN
GERTIE BARKLEY
JOHN PETTISH SR.
JOHN MANGIARACINO

Society briefs

DR. VASIL VASILEFF will speak at the Women's Division of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce meeting, Thursday, April 11, at Red Bud Hickory Rooms, University Center, of SIUE. The Eagles Auxiliary is planning an initiation ceremony for 10 membership candidates to take place at the May session. President Vincenz Zerlan announced today.

A continuing project to aid needy people in the Quad-City area is offered by the New Life Love Center, 1909 State St. Any resident needing clothing, food or counseling is being advised to call 451-2022 or visit the center Tuesday and Thursday each week at 10 a.m.

APRIL CRUSADE of the American Cancer Society will involve many volunteers who will call at homes in the Quad-City area. With the emphasis this year on prevention of cancer, callers will leave pamphlets outlining the advances in prevention.

Contributions to the local unit will not only underwrite the research for cure and prevention of cancer but also provide funds for local cancer patients. Counseling, visitation, transportation and special equipment are available by contacting Linda Irwin, Sister Mary Louise Moser, chairman of the unit, requests that volunteers call Evelyn Schneider at 876-1608 or Sylvia Theis at 931-2900 to register the hours they can assist.

COUNTRY MUSIC SINGER Mickey Gilley and a cast of entertainers will participate in the Arthritis Foundation Telethon Sunday, April 28, from Nashville. The event will be aired on KIDL Channel 30 at 6 p.m. Performers who appear on the program will contribute their talents to help the fight against arthritis.

Located at Alton Memorial Hospital, the branch office of the Central Illinois Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation helps support local citizens through research support, patient services, public awareness and self-help classes. Local residents meet once a week in Granite City and participate in a water therapy class at the YMCA.

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Obituaries

Andrew Brown

Andrew Brown, 27, of St. Louis, formerly of Granite City, was fatally injured at about 3 a.m. today, April 11, 1985, in a motorcycle accident in St. Louis. He is survived by a daughter here.

Details of the accident were not yet available, family members said this morning.

Mr. Brown was taken to Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, after the crash. Born June 2, 1957, in St. Louis, he resided here for several years. He was a welder at American Car Co., St. Louis.

Among the survivors are his daughter, Michelle Renee Brown of Granite City; three brothers, John of Granite City, Charles of St. Louis and James Brown Jr. of Texas; and four sisters, Ruby Jane Brown and Mrs. Jerry (Mary) Nelson, both of Granite City; Mrs. Louise Schaffer of Connecticut and Mrs. Jessie Goodfellow of California.

Services are pending at Randall A. Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave. Friends may call 877-6500 for details.

Sylvia Burns

Mrs. Sylvia Jewell (Swigert) Burns, 77, of 1506½ Second St., Madison, died at 9:20 p.m. Wednesday, April 10, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was ill two years and in the hospital one week.

Born June 11, 1907, in Grandin, Mo., Mrs. Burns resided here 49 years. She was of the Protestant faith.

Among the survivors are her husband, Thomas Guy Burns; one son, Neal Burns of Granite City; a daughter, Mrs. Velma Spivey of Madison; two brothers, Lindell Swigert of Grandin, Mo., and Milton Swigert of Poplar Bluff, Mo.; a sister, Mrs. Loretta Herrington of Grandin; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation begins at 6:30 p.m. Friday, April 12, at Randall A. Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., where arrangements are pending. The telephone number there is 877-6500.

Melba Manning

Mrs. Melba Deane Manning, 58, of 5182 Lake Drive, Ill. for four years, died at 1:30 a.m. Monday, April 8, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she was hospitalized for five days.

She was born in C real Springs, Ill., and lived in Marion, Ill., before moving here 182 years ago. Mrs. Manning was an active member of Amvets Post 51 Auxiliary.

She and her husband, Rex Manning who survives, were married Nov. 18, 1940, in Pechonias, Ark. Survivors include three sons, Philip, Bruce and Rex Lee Manning, all of Granite City, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Jim Burnette officiating. A wake service was held by the Amvets Auxiliary on Tuesday night. Burial was in St. John Cemetery, 2501 Nameoki Road. The family requests memorials to the American Cancer Society.

Lillian Joyce

Mrs. Lillian (Fitzhugh) Joyce, 83, of 2010 Bryan Ave., died at 9:55 a.m. Sunday, April 7, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she was a patient for 12 days.

A 60-year resident of Granite City, Mrs. Joyce was born in Dover, Tenn. She was of the Protestant faith.

Her husband, Albert Joyce, died in 1964.

Survivors include one son, Gordon Joyce, Dover; three sisters, Mrs. Leona Taylor and Mrs. Lena Kelly, both of Dover, and Mrs. Locky Thomason, Granite City; two grandsons she reared, Dennis and Timothy Joyce, both of Granite City, and two great-grandchildren.

The Rev. Louis Frick conducted 10 a.m. services Tuesday at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, and her remains next were taken to Anglin Funeral Home, Dover, Tenn., for visitation Tuesday. Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, in Whitford Cemetery, Dover. Memorials are requested for Job's Daughters.

Robert Metcalf

Robert Metcalf, 77, of 2420 Delmar Ave., died at 6 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he had been hospitalized for three days.

Mr. Metcalf was born in Prairie du Rocher, Ill., and had lived in Granite City for 13 years. He was a retired meat packer, working for a St. Louis firm for five years.

He was of the Catholic faith and Meat Packers Union Local 545.

He is survived by his wife, Nellie (Williams) Metcalf, and two sons, Robert Metcalf Jr. of Granite City and Richard Lee Metcalf of St. Louis.

Graveside services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, April 12, at St. John Cemetery in Prairie du Rocher. Funeral arrangements are being handled by Dasher Funeral Home in Prairie du Rocher.

Helen Oberlin

Mrs. Helen M. (Merrill) Oberlin, 75, of Winchester, Ill., formerly of Granite City, died at 7:20 a.m. Monday, April 8, 1985, at Scott County Nursing Center.

She was born in Jerseyville and retired as a bookkeeper from the Granite City Army Installation.

Mrs. Oberlin was a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, Daughters of Isabella, Women of the Moose and College of Regents.

Her husband, Harry Oberlin, died April 24, 1968.

Survivors include one brother, Thomas Merrill of Jerseyville; an aunt, Hazel Cody, Winchester, and a cousin, Rita Goedde of Fairview Heights.

Funeral services were conducted at 9 a.m. today, April 11, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church here with burial in Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. The Rosary was recited and a wake service by the Women of the Moose was conducted Wednesday at Pieper Funeral Home, 1929 Cleveland Blvd., Granite City.

Frieda Pufalt

Mrs. Frieda S. (Stiechle) Pufalt (also known as Pufalt), 85, a resident of Colonial Haven Nursing Home for one year, died there at 9 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, 1985.

She was born in Germany and lived in this area for 61 years. She was a self-employed seamstress.

Mrs. Pufalt was a member of St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ and the German Beneficial Union.

Her husband, Theodore Pufalt, died in 1957.

Survivors include four nephews, Edwin, Reinhold and William Selbold, all of Granite City, and Charles Selbold of Edwardsville, and a niece, Mrs. Elsie Henley of Cherokee Village, Ark.

Visitation will begin today at 4 p.m. at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where the Rev. Alfredo Tinto will conduct 11 a.m. services Friday, April 12. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, Collinsville.

Roy Stancic

Roy J. Stancic, 58, a lifelong resident of Madison, was pronounced dead at his home at 2:25 p.m. Monday, April 8, 1985, by Edward Werner, Madison County deputy coroner.

He was of the Catholic faith and served in the Merchant Marine from 1944 to 1946. Mr. Stancic was self-employed as a salesman for the Ace Delivery Co. for 12 years.

Survivors include three cousins, Nick Mitalevich, Granite City; Jack Mitalevich, Staunton, and Louise Gwasdad, Granite City.

The Rev. Frank Kordek officiated at 11 a.m. funeral services today, April 11, at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home, 501 Madison Ave., Madison. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, Granite City.

Clara Wadlow

Mrs. Clara C. (Tabor) Wadlow, 86, a resident of The Colonnades Nursing Home for five years, died there

Justice Goldenhersh will swear-in Venice officials

By VALERIE EVENDEN
Staff writer

Illinois Supreme Court Justice Joseph H. Goldenhersh of the Fifth District will swear-in Venice city officials who were returned to office in the April 2 election.

Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols said this week Justice Goldenhersh has agreed to officiate at the swearing-in ceremony, scheduled at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the second-floor council chambers at the Venice City Hall. The public is invited to attend, Echols said.

The Belleville justice will conduct the ceremony in place of Third Circuit Judge William E. Johnson, who was stricken ill suddenly last week. Johnson is in serious condition in the intensive care unit at Firmin

Desloge—St. Louis University Hospitals, St. Louis.

The circuit judge was sworn into office for a second year in ceremonies Dec. 3 at the Madison County Courthouse.

The occasion marked the first time a newly elected official administered the oath to a circuit court judge in Madison County.

Goldenhersh was born in East St. Louis. He received his LL.B. degree from Washington University Law School in St. Louis and was admitted to the Illinois Bar in February 1936.

After privately practicing law, he served as Appellate Court Justice from 1964 to 1970. He was elected to the Illinois Supreme Court in December 1970 and re-elected in 1980, serving for a time as chief justice of the top state court.

Goldenhersh formerly was president of the East St. Louis Bar Association and also served on the executive committee of the Appellate Judges' Conference of the American Bar Association.

He and his wife, the former Maxine Zelenka, are the parents of two sons, Richard, an associate judge in the 20th Judicial Circuit, and Jerry, a practicing attorney in Belleville.

Services Tuesday for Mrs. Essie West, 78

Services for Mrs. Essie (Kelley) West, 78, of Colonial Haven Nursing Home, 3500 Stearns Ave., were conducted by the Rev. Richard Hunt at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 9, at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Blvd. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. West died at 10:43 p.m. Friday, April 5, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Born in Gibson, Mo., she resided here most of her life and formerly owned and operated Kelley's Confectionery on Iowa Street.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sidney West.

Among her survivors are a brother, Gilbert Kelley of North Hollywood, Calif., and a sister, Mrs. William (Naomi) Conboy of Warren, Mo.

LaVerne Wilson

LaVerne O. Wilson, 77, of 2623 Madison Ave., who was on a vacation cruise on the Love Boat of the Prince Line Cruise Co., became ill and died Tuesday morning, April 9, 1985, at Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

A lifelong resident, Mr. Wilson worked at Granite City Steel for 49 years and retired in 1971 as a general foreman in the basic oxygen furnace department.

He was a former member of the Eagles Aerie 110 and his wife, Frances K. Wilson, who died Jan. 18, 1984, were married on Aug. 12, 1933 in Duplo.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Roger (Alyce) Neumann, and a son, Ralph Wilson, both of Granite City; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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Helena Wright

Mrs. Helena (Waller) Wright, 94, of 9949 Goldman Road, Hillsboro, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at her home at 9 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, 1985.

She was born in Iron County, Mo., and was a member of the Hillsboro Methodist Church.

Her husband, William A. Wright, died Oct. 5, 1979, and she was preceded in death by her brothers, Charles, John, Sherman and Herman Waller.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Ida Darnell of Hillsboro, Mo.

Visitation will begin at 9 a.m. Friday, April 12, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where services will follow at 11 a.m. in the chapel of the funeral home. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

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ANNA LESKO

Funeral services were conducted Monday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Madison, with burial in Calvary Cemetery. She died at 4:15 p.m. Friday, April 5, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

EMMA ZARLINGO

She died at 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. A funeral Mass was read Monday at St. Mark Catholic Church, Venice, with burial at Calvary Cemetery.

Teen Town

(Continued from Page 1)

been something for which he has been hoping.

Moad said many of his constituents in the 6th Ward have told him they will volunteer their services to help organize the activities for young people.

"I'M GOING TO ASK that Mr. Hagnauer donate the building for the activities," Moad said. "I'm sure he wouldn't want to charge the children of the city for use of this building."

Hagnauer said that whenever activities are planned, he will "make sure" that the building is open for the event.

Von Dee Cruse, Granite City mayor-elect, was in attendance at the meeting and said he was excited about the prospect of a youth center.

"DURING MY campaign, one of the issues was the establishment of a youth center," Cruse said. "I'd like to think that I played a part in it by making it a campaign issue."

"I'm glad to see that Nellie (Hagnauer) is in agreement. This will be an ideal place for the youth," Cruse said the next step taken in

the planning should be the appointment of a Township Committee on Youth. He said this group could organize the effort and request funds for youth activities.

"IT'S IMPORTANT that this project gets off on the right foot," Cruse said.

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NEAR-TRAGEDY late Wednesday morning on a parking lot near the Ponderosa Restaurant on Johnson Road, Bruce Brockman, Belle-ville, driver of his soft drink delivery truck, was pinned underneath a back wheel when a jack gave way as he was attempting to change a tire. He was freed and was rushed to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he was treated for injuries to the pelvis and an arm, ankle and foot. He is in stable condition.

(Photo by John Pelfish Sr.)

Venice man among rape suspects

With the arrest Wednesday of a Venice man, three men and a 13-year-old boy sought in connection with the sexual assault of an East St. Louis woman are now in custody. An East St. Louis detective sergeant said a fifth suspect, a woman, remains at large.

Gregory A. Watts, 23, of 609 Salvator St., Venice, was arrested by Venice officers at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday in the 100 block of Weaver Street on a felony warrant, issued by a St. Clair County judge.

alleging aggravated criminal sexual assault. Bond is set at \$100,000.

The warrant alleges use of force in the March 19 rape, in which a saved-off shotgun was displayed.

Watts was transferred to East St. Louis police custody at 11:40 a.m. Wednesday.

All those arrested in the case will be taken to the St. Clair County Jail in Belleville. Preliminary hearings are expected to be set for April 19.

At the time of the rape, the victim, 21, told police her assailants used the shotgun to force their way into her

apartment. She alleged that some of those involved may be members of the Disciples street gang in East St. Louis, a point not verified by police at this time.

She was raped by male suspects and also was assaulted by the woman companion of the men, the victim said. The woman suspect faces a felony assault charge.

Arrested Monday in the case was Willie Nichols, 19, East St. Louis, who is charged with aggravated criminal sexual assault.

Also in custody is a 17-year-old East St. Louis youth who was 16 at the time of the alleged rape. Booked on the same felony charge, the youth is expected to be classified for trial as an adult under Illinois law, the detective sergeant said.

Juvenile petitions are being sought in relation to the 13-year-old implicated in the rape.

Fortin replaces Block as commander of Army base

Lt. Col. Bruce A. Block, who has been commander at the St. Louis Area Support Center (SLASC) in Granite City for the past two years, was honored April 4 in a change of command ceremony.

Block was presented a Meritorious Service Medal, Second Oak Leaf Cluster, for his work while commander at the center here, the former Granite City Army Depot.

Block will be replaced by Lt. Col. Robert A. Fortin, who is being transferred to SLASC from the parent command, the U.S. Army Aviation Systems Command (AVSCOM) in St. Louis.

During Block's tenure at SLASC, usage of long-empty warehouses at the installation increased dramatically, according to the AVSCOM commander, Maj. Gen. Orlando Gonzales.

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Former residents parents of daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ricciardi of LaGrange Park, Ill., became the parents of their first child, a girl, on April 1.

The new arrival has been named Katherine Michelle and she weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Grandparents are Margaret Kirchhoff, St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. Ricciardi of Chicago; the great-grandmother, Mrs. Teresa Kirchhoff, lives in Granite City.



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Weather can be funny, club finds

BY BILL WINTER
Staff writer

How do you forecast weather in this metropolitan area? With a sense of humor, Granite City Rotarians learned at a luncheon Tuesday from Bob Richards, chief meteorologist of KSDK television Channel 5.

Entertaining his audience with his dry (as opposed to inclement) wit, the speaker recalled failing to relay an accurate weather outlook on his first night on St. Louis airwaves. Several multi-inch snow forecasts this winter also failed to materialize, he said.

Although he was schooled extensively in meteorology and is experienced from work at several other TV stations, forecasting (by him and all others) remains an art as well as a science, Richards told the club after being introduced by Don Adams, program chairman.

St. Louis weather predicting is rated as unusually difficult because storm patterns from the North, West, Southwest and South may arrive simultaneously.

As happened often in recent months, the narrow weather fronts can collide with the expected local airflow actually veering a few miles to the south or north of here, he said.

Several potential new Rotary members were introduced.

Bill Winter resumed his club attendance Tuesday after absence in February and March due to gall bladder surgery at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

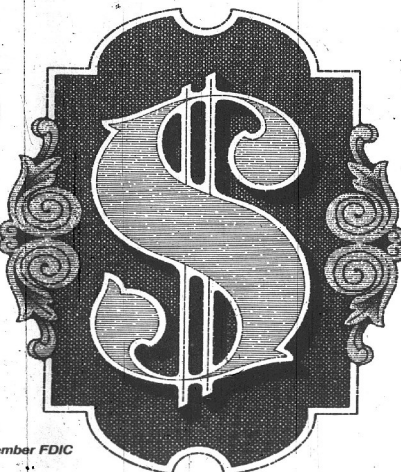
Newly-elected government leaders are to address a Rotary prayer breakfast April 17.

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Lotto Game

Monday, April 8: 177
Pick 4 Game: 5069
Lotto Game

Tuesday, April 9: 487
Pick 4 Game: 6692
Lotto Game

Wednesday, April 10: 532
Pick 4 Game: 3961
Lotto Game

Grassroots government

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:

Venice School Board 7 p.m. Thursday, April 11, at 7th Street and Broadway.

Venice Park Board 7 p.m. Thursday, April 11, at the Venice Recreation Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Mueller announce birth of son

Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Joan) Mueller, 860 Behd Road, are announcing the birth of a boy born on April 9 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. The new arrival weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces, and has been named Mat-

thew Jacob. He has a 2-year old sister, Rachel. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Mueller and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hollenbeck, all of the Quad-City area.

No cable TV for Reveille Lane residents

By RACHEL NEWSOME

Reveille Lane residents probably will not obtain the cable television service they want, it was learned at Tuesday's Pontoon Beach Village Board meeting.

In a letter responding to an inquiry by the board, South-Western Cable TV said it would not be economically feasible to install cable at Reveille Lane, but the firm will send two men for three days to repair the Gaslight Walk apartments' cable TV system.

A REPRESENTATIVE of South-Western Cable will be invited to attend the board's next meeting.

In other action, five re-elected village officials were sworn in, committee assignments were made and other officials were appointed.

Sworn in by Village Clerk Mary Warren were President Glen Wilson and Trustees Don Rea, Bob Vincent, Lou Whitsell and Bob Abel.

COMMITTEE assignments included the police committee, Chairman Abel and members Vincent and Rea; finance, Chairman Rea, Whitsell and Keith Biggs; roads, Chairman Whitsell, Abel and Biggs; ordinance, Chairman Rea, Vincent and Loren Madison.

Also, parks and recreation, Chairman Madison, members Abel, Biggs, Rea, Vincent and Whitsell; community development, Chairman Neva Lucas, members Lee Ridgeway, Rea, Virginia Biggs and Floyd Ridgeway; personnel, Chairman Vincent, Rea and Abel; annexation, Chairman Whitsell, Keith Biggs and Vincent; street lights, Chairman Keith Biggs, Madison and Whitsell; and health, Chairman Madison, Abel and Keith Biggs.

Village officials appointed were Police Chief Chet Balow, Treasurer Ray Gaudette, Attorney Keith Jensen, Building Inspector William Morgan, Health Inspector Bob Douglas and Zoning Administrator Don McNew.

Don Peacock, president of Peacock Quality Sand, again requested annexation of a tract on Ill. Route 162 adjacent to Peacock Quality Sand. This tract had previously been annexed by the village, but due to legal problems the ordinance had to be corrected. The land will be used for residential zoning purposes. The board approved the annexation.

A report from Madison County Clerk Evelyn Bowles said the village's tax extension for 1985 is \$41,138.

"It has been a village policy not to release trustees' telephone numbers. The board decided, however, to change the policy by adopting a resolution to release the phone numbers. Numbers will be posted on the Village Hall bulletin board.

16 TRUCK WHEELS STOLEN

Sixteen wheels and rims were stolen from an 18-wheeler transport truck while the vehicle was parked inside the Doulan Steel complex April 6. Also taken from the truck, owned by Northeast Transportation, Venice, were a 13-inch television set and a 40-channel citizen band radio. Darrell Nicholas, the driver, reported.

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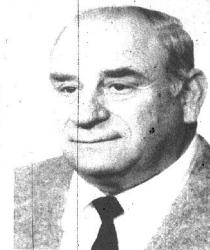
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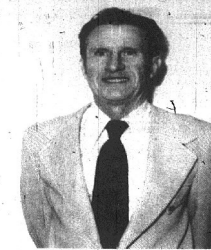
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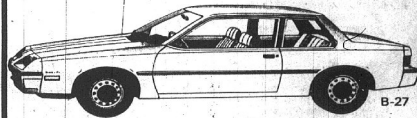
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Paperback books exchanged

The Granite City Public Library will hold its annual paperback exchange Saturday, April 20, in the children's room at the main library, 3001 Delmar Ave., from 2 to 3 p.m.

In previous years, the paperback exchange was for children only. However, this year the exchange is open to both adults and children. It is being held to celebrate National Library Week April 14-20.

All persons wishing to participate are to bring their books to the circulation desk in either the adult or

children's department no later than Friday, April 19. No books will be accepted after that date.

Books should be brought in a paper bag labeled with both the person's name and the number of books brought. Books brought by children should be suitable reading material for children in kindergarten through eighth grade. All books must be paperback and in good condition, a spokesman said.

The paper bag with the person's name on it is his "ticket" to participate. The bags will be kept at the library until the day of the exchange.

At the exchange on April 20, children will be able to choose their books from groups divided into basic reading levels. Adults will choose from categories such as mysteries, westerns, romance, science fiction, general fiction and nonfiction.

This is a book exchange only. There will be no books for sale.

New State road map available

The 1985-86 Illinois Highway Map is being distributed by the Illinois Division of Tourism and is "going like hot cakes."

Requests for the 1985-86 highway map, which will be limited to two maps per individual, may be directed to the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs, Illinois Division of Tourism, 620 East Adams, Springfield, Ill. 62701. The telephone number is 217-782-7139.

The map is also available for free distribution at reception desks at all nine Illinois Department of Transportation district offices, as well as state office buildings in Springfield and Chicago. Maps at these locations must be picked up in person, and will also include the two-map-per-person limit.

The front of the map is a photograph of a new three-dimensional diorama on display at the Illinois State Museum in Springfield.

The photograph shows a man of the Mississippi period of Indian culture holding a stone hoe and blade used to cultivate crops. The scene took place about 1,200 A.D.

The exhibit, entitled "Peoples of the Past," includes four separate dioramas showing the day-to-day activities of some of Illinois' early inhabitants. It is open to the public and is free of charge.

Studio features special program

Diamonds, Dolls, and Dandies, Bob Kramer's tribute to nostalgia, now is playing at Bob Kramer's Marionettes Studio, 4143 Laclede, in the Central West End, St. Louis, through April 26.

Show times are Saturdays at 11:15 a.m. and 2:15 p.m., following the regularly scheduled studio demonstration and on Sundays at 2:15 p.m., following the demonstration. Selected weekdays are available as well.

Attendance is by reservation only.

Andes heads banker group

G. Thomas Andes, president of the First National Bank of Belleville, has succeeded James E. Forster, chairman of the DeKalb Bank, as president of the Illinois Bankers Association, effective immediately. Forster resigned as president in order to devote more time to outside business matters.

Andes has 20 years experience in the banking industry. Starting as a farm manager at First National Bank of Belleville in 1965, he has held several positions in the bank, and was elected president in 1981.

Andes is also vice chairman and director of Magna Group Inc. and director of the Illinois State Trust Co.

He is a graduate of Illinois State University and the Stoner Graduate School of Banking, Rutgers University. Active in the IBA for many years, Andes had been vice president of the association since January.

THREE INJURED IN CRASH ON NAMEOKI ROAD SUNDAY

Three persons were injured in a two-car accident on Nameoki Road at its intersection with Richmond Avenir at 1:45 p.m. Sunday. Those hurt included the driver of one of the vehicles, Kalani L. Cornillon, 16, of 3715 Fair Oaks Drive and a passenger in her car, Clara Cornillon, 11.

The driver of the other car, William F. Buente, Collinsville, was uninjured but one of his passengers, Eleanor Buente, 64, was hurt in the crash.



HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBERS of Knights of Columbus 1098 recognized for 25 consecutive years as a member and 70 years of age or older. From left is T.A. Feeler, district deputy, introducing Lou Bicanic Sr., Sam Coleman, Dominic Scaturro, James Haack, Ben Strack honorees, and Michael DeRuntz, grand knight.

William Murray will speak here

William Murray, who was raised as an atheist by his mother, Madelyn Murray O'Hair, and became a Christian in December 1979 after a two-year search for God, will speak here Wednesday, April 17.

During a gospel crusade at Grace Baptist Church, 3600 Edwards St., April 14-17, Jane Huddleston, a country gospel music artist, will sing at each of the services.

Stan Howlett, a former heavyweight boxer, will speak on Monday night and William Murray will appear Wednesday night, Dr. Bob Jones, pastor, said.

Type-a-thon today aids Hospice patients

Hospice of Madison County is sponsoring a Type-a-thon today to raise funds for those Madison County patients who cannot afford a number of the services provided.

Granite City High School has six teachers participating with 180 students who will be soliciting pledges from friends and family for every word per minute that they type on a standardized typing test.

After the test, students will contact their sponsors and collect the donations due.

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Stop-smoking classes planned

The "Fresh Start" stop-smoking program will be offered beginning April 26 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. There will be four classes in the program, one each week, through May 17. The classes will be held from 6:45 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The "Fresh Start" program was developed by the American Cancer Society. Topics covered in the classes include: why people smoke; how the habit is reinforced; how to manage the first few days without cigarettes; how to master obstacles; and the physical changes to expect after quitting.

"Fresh Start" classes will be taught by Terry Johnson, R.N., a critical care registered nurse and pulmonary nurse clinician, and Kathy Adair, a registered respiratory therapist. Both are on staff at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

"Fresh Start" classes will be limited to 15 people. There is a \$15 fee for each participant.

Classes will be held in the Wiesman Room on the first floor of the west wing in the medical center complex. Refreshments will be served at all sessions.

To register for classes, individuals may call the Public Relations Department at 798-3167.

NOTICE!

Absolutely no trespassing on Chouteau Island Levee and Drainage District property located between Chain of Rocks Canal and Mississippi River, state of Illinois. This includes hunting, fishing, walking and **ANY TYPE MOTOR VEHICLE**. This Levee is residents only protection from flooding. Cable and signs have been installed but are continually destroyed. **IF CAUGHT YOU WILL BE PROSECUTED.**

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YOUTH GANGS — Attacking youth gang activity at the community level is the goal of an anti-gang program announced last week by Gordon Johnson, director of the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services. Johnson said the grants, a combination of state and federal funding, will nearly double the amount of money DCF is pumping into community efforts to deal with the gang problems in Illinois.

EXTEND BOND PROGRAM — The governor has urged the Illinois Congressional Delegation to support pending federal legislation that would extend the agriculture industrial development bond program for another two years. Thompson said his message was delivered to delegation members in Washington, D.C. by his Task Force on Farm Issues during a series of meetings with Illinois Congressmen.

ADVISORY — Thomas R. Kirkpatrick Jr., director of the Illinois Department of Public Health, last week issued an advisory concerning the consumption of Lake Michigan sport fish. The advisory, issued jointly by Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin, ranks the fish on the basis of whether or not the fish contain PCB, DDT, Chlordane and Dieldrin levels established by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

WORLD'S FAIR — The Arts, Culture and Entertainment Advisory Committee of the Chicago World's Fair-1992 Authority is asking people throughout Illinois to submit their ideas on how to make the 1992 Universal Class exposition a once-in-a-lifetime cultural experience. Send ideas to the Authority.

at One First National Plaza, Suite 3080, Chicago, Ill. 60603.

STATE HISTORIAN — Dr. Michael J. Devine has been named by Governor Thompson as State Historian and director of the Illinois State Historical Library. Dr. Devine is a native Illinoisan with a national reputation in history and museum administration.

LIAPP — The Illinois Commerce Commission last week approved a proposal to establish a three-year experimental program designed to help low-income households maintain primary heating service. Commission Chairman Philip R. O'Connor says the Low-Income Affordable Payment Plan (LIAPP) is intended to give low-income families some "breathing room" in dealing with their financial requirements and at the same time recognizes that state law requires that utilities be compensated for the energy services they provide.

COMMERCIAL FISHING — Commercial fishermen are reminded they should get 1984 catch reports sent to Bill Fritz, the Department of Conservation's commercial fisheries biologist. Failure to do so can result in the suspension of the commercial fishing license or being denied issuance of their 1985 license.

REGISTRATION — Governor Thompson has proclaimed March 1985 to be Registration Awareness Month in Illinois. Federal law requires all young men to register with the Selective Service System within 30 days of their 18th birthday.

SALMON STAMP — A U.S. Navy illustrator stationed in Hawaii

captured top honors last week in the Department of Conservation's salmon stamp art contest with a watercolor depicting a pair of chinook salmon feeding on alewives. The winning artist, Norman Nagai of Pearl City, Hawaii, will receive a \$1,000 purchase award and 50 artist's proofs, in addition to having his design appear on the 1986 issue of the Illinois salmon stamp.

NEARLY TWO dozen community centers that are part of the Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault will receive \$650,000 in funds next year to provide a variety of services aimed at combating sexual abuse in Illinois, Governor James R. Thompson said.

Speaking at the Illinois Women's Issues Conference at the Executive Mansion, Thompson said the funds will be used to provide community-based services to sexual abuse victims. The statewide network would offer victims—male and female of all ages—counseling and advocacy on a 24-hour-a-day basis and education services as well. The money also will be used to support 24-hour hotlines operated by local centers.

Coalition statistics show that as many as one in four females and that one in 10 males have been sexual assault victims in Illinois in 1982. That same year, there were an estimated 200,000 reports of child sexual abuse.

GOVERNOR JAMES R. Thompson announced KIDS (Kids in Illinois Deserve Safety) on Friday, a new multi-agency child safety initiative to expand statewide efforts to protect the children of Illinois.

KIDS will expand the efforts of I-SEARCH and the child abuse response system, as well as the investigative resources of the Department of Law Enforcement. The program will employ comprehensive educational and social service programs, and propose a complete legislative package. The program will be coordinated by Inspector General Jeremy Margolis, who said, "With the KIDS program, Illinois becomes the leader in the nationwide battle against child exploitation."

U.S. SENATOR PAUL SIMON has been appointed one of five Democratic Deputy Whips, making him the only new, incoming senator to receive this honor. As a Deputy Whip, he will work with the Minority Leader and Minority Whip to plan the Democratic strategy in the Senate.

Ryan officer of Smith

Thomas W. Ryan, 38, has joined A.O. Smith Corp., Milwaukee, as vice president and assistant controller. He will have responsibility for the company's controllership development program, headquarters office services, and the corporate reporting and accounting department, according to Earl R. Milner, vice president and controller. Ryan most recently was director of American Motors' international operations staff in Detroit.



GRANITE CITY AUXILIARY police graduates in the Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation or Explosive Ordnance Safety courses are honored. Front row, from left to right, are Sgt. Oliver Corzine, Patrolman James Griffen, Andy Smith, Patrolman Rick Singleton and Recruit Kenneth Hillner. Second row, from left, Lt. Randy Smith, Recruit Glen Lamp, Sgt. Cleo Angeloff, Patrolman Donald Robinson, Sgts. Donald Ogden Jr. and Donald Alexander and Auxiliary Police Chief John Becker. Other course graduates not in the photo are Sandy Smith, Capt. Walter Schmidt, Sgt. Bill Landman and Patrolmen Gene Kershaw and Pete Gram.

Wolf chosen as Stran builder

The L. Wolf Co. here has been named the authorized Stran builder for this area by Stran Buildings of LaGrange, Ga.

The general contracting firm, which was founded in 1958 by Chairman Leo Wolf, joins 400 Builders worldwide who represent Stran building systems.

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L. Wolf Co. began its work in the residential housing market and then moved into the commercial industrial field. As a Stran builder, the company will offer complete builder services from start to finish for industrial, manufacturing and warehousing facilities; schools and churches; and recreational buildings as well as shopping centers and restaurants.

Stran Buildings is a unit of AMCA Buildings Division, AMCA International. The company manufactures and markets Stran building systems nationally through its builder network.

Founders Day at McKendree

McKendree College (Lebanon), founded in 1828 and the oldest college in Illinois, celebrates its Founders Day with a dinner at Fischer's Restaurant in Belleville on Thursday, April 18, at 7 p.m. Dennis Day, Irish tenor and veteran performer with 45 years in show business, will provide the evening's entertainment. Best known for his 25-year association with the Jack Benny show, Day remains a multi-talented entertainer; his interests include singing, mimicry, comedy and drama.

Speaker on genealogy

Dr. George E. Ross will speak to the Madison County Genealogical Society tonight at 7 at the Immanuel United Methodist Church, 800 N. Main St., Edwardsville. He will speak on "Use of Newspapers in Tracing Family History." He is a former professor at Western Illinois University, Macomb, a noted historian and author.



WEAPON QUALIFIERS. Auxiliary police members, attaining ratings on the shooting range. Front row, left to right, Patrolman Mark Beckly, Sgt. Cleo Angeloff and Patrolman Rick Singleton, all sharpshooter class. Second row, from left, Sgts. Vernon Ryan and Donald Ogden Jr., both sharpshooters, and Sgt. Donald Alexander and Auxiliary Police Chief John Becker, both expert classification.



AUXILIARY CHIEF John Becker, right, congratulates Army Captain Walter W. Krupko, who is now serving as volunteer adviser and instructor for the Granite City Emergency Services and Disaster Agency (Civil Defense). The new adviser resides locally and is assigned to the U.S. Army Recruiting Battalion in St. Louis. Also shown are Auxiliary Police Lt. Randy Smith, left, and ESDA Director Harold Mayfield, second from left. The volunteer auxiliary police force, considered to be one of the best trained units in the area, shortly will begin a course in basic self defense.

Burglary plea results in 3-year probation

Timothy Towery, 17, of West Alton, Mo., has been ordered to serve three years probation, six months in the county jail and pay \$90 in court costs following his guilty plea March 11 to a burglary charge. Madison County Circuit Judge

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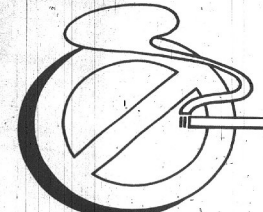
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"Fresh Start" classes will be offered at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, beginning April 26. Classes will be taught by a registered nurse and a respiratory therapist. There is a \$15 fee that covers the cost of all 4 classes. To register, call 798-3167. Classes will be limited to 15 participants.

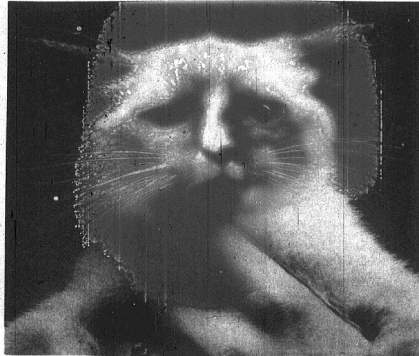
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HOW'S ABOUT A HOME? This part-Siamese female is looking for a home. She's had her shots and has been wormed. The 10-week-old kitten is available for adoption at the APA Shelter, 5000 Old Alton Road. Interested persons may call the shelter at 931-7030 for more information. Shelter hours are Mon. 9 to 11 a.m.; Tues. 4 to 6 p.m.; Wed. 5 to 8 p.m.; Thurs. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Fri. and Sun. noon to 3 p.m. and Sat. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Press-Record Photo)

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Charge man after accident report

Larry W. Pritchard, 27, of 619 Salveter Ave., Venice, pleaded innocent to charges of leaving the scene of an accident with vehicle damage and not having a valid driver's license in an appearance in the Granite City court Wednesday.

A mittimus was issued and he was transferred Thursday morning to the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville.

Pritchard was arrested at a dwelling in the 500 block of Jefferson Avenue, Venice, at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday after a report was made by Dennis L. Hand, of 61 Venice Homes that a vehicle had struck his parked auto outside the residence.

Hearing a loud noise, Hand said, he looked out of the front window and saw a yellow car leaving the scene.

Hand later reported locating the alleged hit-and-run vehicle outside a Jefferson Avenue residence. It had damage on the right front.

Police questioned Pritchard, who maintained that his car had been stolen and that he was not driving the vehicle when it was wrecked.

However, a police officer alleged seeing Pritchard in the car a short time before, and the arrest was made.

GC man sentenced for armed robbery

Madison County Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick has sentenced Jeffrey A. Voss, 20, to 10 years in prison after Voss pleaded guilty to a Granite City armed robbery charge. Voss, of 2003 Washington Ave., pleaded guilty March 5 and sentencing followed.

He is accused of robbing the Payless shoe store, 3020 Madison Ave., on Jan. 3. He was taken into custody by Granite City police at his home the next day and charged with armed robbery.

Police reports indicate the robbery suspect had displayed a steel handgun and taken about \$100 from a cash register at the store.

He initially said he wanted to buy a pair of boots and tried on a brown boot. After walking about in the boot, he pulled the gun from a pocket and said, "This is a robbery. Give me your money."

The suspect later fled through a door, running east around the store building.

\$10,800 loss in house fire Friday

An attached garage at the home of Robert Mueller, 208 St. Clair Ave., was engulfed in flames when Granite City firefighters from the Johnson Road Fire Station 3 responded to a call at 8:22 p.m. Friday.

A 1981 Plymouth Horizon sedan valued at \$3,300 was destroyed in the blaze, which caused an estimated loss of \$5,000 to the frame structure and \$2,000 to the contents.

Response to the call was "pretty quick," a neighborhood resident told the Press-Record. Cause of the blaze was still undetermined Saturday.

DCI issues warrants on cannabis charge

Three Venice residents were arrested last week on warrants issued through the Illinois Division of Criminal Investigation.

All three warrants alleged unlawful delivery of cannabis and were served by Venice officers and DCI agents.

Those charged in the warrants were Robert N. Horn, 33, of 127 Hampden Ave., Venice, arrested at Bissell Street and Route 3; Richard T. Foley, 35, of 607 Broadway, Venice, taken into custody in the 1400 block of Third Street; and Dorothy Kearnes-Horn, 32, of 217 Hampden Ave., arrested when she reported to Venice police headquarters.

Those arrested were transferred immediately to the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville.

Utility service will be shut off for some here

Illinois Power Co. customers who fell behind in payments during the winter months should now make arrangements with the utility to avoid shut-off of service, a spokesman said today.

The winter restraints on shut-offs imposed by the Illinois Commerce Commission ended April 1 and disconnect notices have been sent to customers in arrears.

The loss of service can be avoided if the customer makes a good faith effort to pay.

Illinois Power offers a deferred payment agreement to customers who have not broken such an agreement in the last 12 months. Those who have broken a deferred pay-

ment agreement should contact the utility to determine what arrangements can be made to avoid termination of service.

A deferred payment agreement usually requires payment of 25 percent of the amount in arrears, and the balance in equal monthly installments along with payment in full of future bills.

Throughout the 15,000 square miles served by Illinois Power, 6,200 paid nothing during the winter months, when ICC rules restrict termination of service for non-payment.

Also, many other customers are far enough behind in payments to be subject to service disconnection, the company said.

Seminar on raising dogs

A seminar on raising and caring for dogs will be held Saturday, May 11, at the Veterinary Medicine Building on the University of Illinois campus. The seminar will cover sex and the single dog, drug use and misuse in dogs, Illinois Dog Club and Breeder Association presentation, treatment of cancer in dogs, plus a tour of the University of Illinois

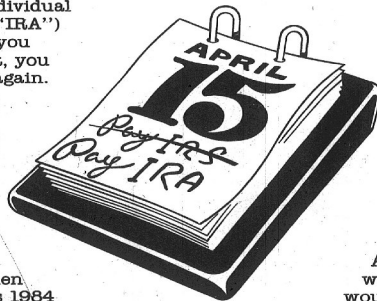
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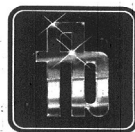


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2 Madison policemen hired

By DONNA KIMBRO

Hiring of two probationary officers for the Madison Police Department created a heated debate at a Madison City Council meeting Tuesday night. They are now taking training at the Police Academy in Springfield.

The applicants were hired by the council after the discussion.

Acting Mayor Thomas Gordon had announced to the council that Ed Shelby and David Mooshegan were selected by the Board of Police Commissioners to become new probationary officers. They began training April 7 in Springfield.

ALDERMAN DONALD Garrett objected to the two men being sent to school without the council approving them individually as new candidates.

Garrett said he did not remember the council giving approval to send two men to the academy and then asked the police commissioners to submit a list of the scores each applicant totaled in the testing program.

Faul Lunsford of the police board reported 18 men took the test and 10 qualified. Of the 10, one lived in Collinsville and gave a Madison address, Lunsford alleged, and another candidate has an arrest record. The two chosen for the training achieved the highest scores, Lunsford said.

Garrett again protested the council being asked to approve the selections without seeing the entire eligibility list and the scores of each applicant. "I would like Mr. (Mayor-elect John) Bellico to find the motion where the council approved sending men to training without

specifically naming them," Garrett said.

GORDON ASKED asked City Clerk Bellico to produce the minutes of a meeting where such council action took place. Gordon then called a recess.

For clarification, Bellico read a paragraph from the Dec. 18, 1984, meeting: "A motion was made and seconded that the board of commissioners be allowed to send two candidates to police academy."

Garrett responded that councilmen were not given an opportunity to know any background or test scores on the men who applied, and said he did not think the council should be expected to approve anything blindly.

LUNS福德 GAVE the scores of the final four candidates and said the examinations are under the supervision of a Bureau of Testing in Chicago, adding that all applicants are given a number instead of using their name.

The interchange of remarks between Gordon and Garrett became heated at this point in the meeting, the acting mayor ruling the alderman out of order and saying he would not recognize Garrett to address the assembly. Garrett retaliated by saying that Gordon was "just another alderman" and he had as much right to say what he wanted to as did Gordon.

This prompted Gordon to recess the meeting for five minutes.

WHEN RETURNING to the recessed session, Garrett said he wanted to know the basic area of categories in the examination. He asked, "Why has there not been a

black police officer hired in the last 15 years?"

Lunsford said the one black candidate, whose test scores apparently made him eligible, failed to pass an agility test given in the Madison High School gymnasium by a black instructor.

"There is no racism in this," Lunsford said. This brought comments of doubt from some council members, and Lunsford agreed it was surprising that the candidate did not pass agility testing.

Garrett continued with information concerning promotion of officers in the department. He said there is a lack of impartial testing and stressed that many verbal responses—during review of applicants—appear to be utilized as the most important factors in promoting an officer.

"NO SYSTEM is going to stop racism, sexism or any other 'ism' but this council can make an effort to have a fair and just system," Garrett said.

Police Chief Donald Bridick was called upon to explain the examination and testing program and said that placing the Chicago company in charge eliminates any partiality toward a particular candidate. He added that addition of two men would bring the force up to 11 officers.

In an effort to explain the requirements for becoming an officer, Casper Nighossian, city attorney, said the rules have changed in the past years.

The attorney said one must live in the city for a year, and Illinois law says applicants must be placed on an eligibility list according to test scores. The council can do nothing unless whatever is done fails to conform to the state statute, he said.

RED 1979 AUTO STOLEN

A red 1979 Plymouth Horizon car was stolen while parked at 24th and State streets, Randy Sigle, 2909 Forest Ave., reported April 5.

ARRESTED AS DISORDERLY

Terry N. Cole, 34, of 3126 Carlson Ave. was charged with disorderly conduct April 6 when he allegedly refused to leave the vicinity of a tavern at 25th Street and Madison Avenue.

CHARGES AGAINST TWO

Steven W. Siebert, 23, of 2411 Adams St. was charged with driving while his license was revoked and transporting beer April 5 in the 2200 block of Lee Avenue. Scott D. Rushing, 23, of 211½ Lee Ave., a passenger, was charged with possessing beer. Both posted bail and were released.



DR. VASIL VASILEFF

Dr. Vasileff to be speaker

DR. VASIL VASILEFF will speak at the Women's Division of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce membership meeting Thursday, April 11, at Red Bud-Hickory Rooms, University Center, of SIUE.

The dinner meeting will be held on the SIUE campus in the Redbud-Hickory Rooms of the University Center. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., preceded by a social hour at 5:30 p.m. Dr. Vasileff will address the group following dinner.

His presentation will include a lecture on the joys and art of baking bread. He will demonstrate preparation and baking of yeast breads and will feature French bread.

A graduate of Washington University, Dr. Vasileff earned his D.D.S. degree from St. Louis University. In 1964, he was awarded an Alumni Merit Award for Dentistry from St. Louis U. He has been the recipient of a number of honors for his professional, educational and community contributions.

Prior to joining the School of Dental Medicine at SIUE, from which he retired in 1979, Dr. Vasileff was a member of the faculty at the St. Louis U. School of Dentistry and was also in private dental practice in Granite City for a number of years.

Members of the Women's Division may make reservations for themselves and their guests by calling 876-7400 by noon on Monday.



SPEECH CONTEST WINNERS. Students of St. Margaret Mary Catholic School participated in a contest at St. John Newman School in Maryville, last week. Front row from left, Nick McLaren and Chris Cupples, both received second place honors. Back row, Angela Bason, first, Lisa Kult, third, Suzanne Strack and Carrie Boyer, both first place winners. Mrs. Mary Frances Raick and Mrs. Diana Proszka serves as coaches for the group.



NEW INDUCTEES. New members inducted into the Pontoon Beach Lions Club are, seated, from left, Ed Graham and Art Asadorian. Standing are Mike Starko and Jim Graham, who sponsored the inductees.

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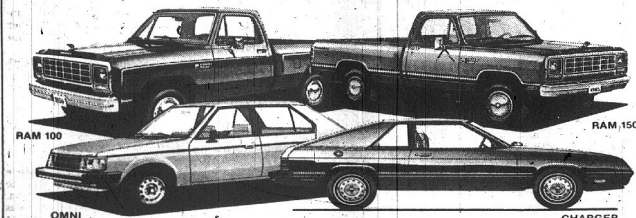
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Meet on general aviation system plan for region

Final public information meetings on the General Aviation System Plan for the St. Louis region will take place in April. The first meeting will be Tuesday, April 16, at 7 p.m. at the St. Louis Regional Airport, East Alton. A second meeting will be held April 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the Prologue Room Theater at the McDonnell Douglas Corp. corporate headquarters building.

This general aviation plan is a cooperative effort among the States of Missouri and Illinois, two regions of the Federal Aviation Administration and the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council.

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For March

Williams is named P-R Athlete of the Month

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record

MADISON — It was a photograph of the night of March 12 when Deloyd Williams dropped in an 18-footer with time expiring to send the Madison High basketball Trojans to the "Elite 8" of the Illinois Class A state playoffs.

One of the most enduring portraits was the one of Williams, standing on the floor of Lantz Gymnasium at Eastern Illinois University.

Added to the big smile he wore as he talked about his winning shot that capped a remarkable fourth-quarter comeback to beat Flora and win the Super Sectional title was the net he had draped around his neck.

THEY WERE "victory nets," so-called because they had been striped from one of the baskets, maybe the one that had witnessed Williams game-winning hoop.

Now, after all is said and done, you might ask, "What became of those nets?"

Glad you asked. It turns out Deloyd never gave the nets back. He has them in his bedroom.

You might think that was a nice gesture by school officials to allow him to keep the nets. After all, they



Deloyd Williams

could have put them in some trophy case.

The thing is, though, Deloyd says he never got permission. He just took the nets home.

"I TOLD the coach (Rodney Watson) after the game I was going to keep them," said Williams with a

big smile. "Maybe he didn't believe me."

Deloyd says he doesn't mind if the truth to the whereabouts of the missing nets is finally disclosed, should anyone be interested.

"Go ahead, you can print it," he says.

Why not?

The truth is, the Trojans might never have had claim to the nets in the first place if not for the play of the 6-foot 1-inch Williams, the Press-Record's "Athlete of the Month" for March.

WILLIAMS, a senior, played a huge role in the Trojans' surprise run to the state tournament finals. He averaged 9.9 points and 4.5 assists per game, but more importantly took firm grip as the team's leader during its stretch drive.

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"WHEN HE started handling the ball, that was a big key for us," said Watson. "I expect a lot out of the point guard. Deloyd's maturity and leadership really came forth at the end of February and all the way through March."

Watson said further, "I think he's one of the finest guards in Illinois, in this part of the state. I really do."

Besides Williams, four other area athletes are also cited for their fine play during March. Receiving Honorable Mention accolades are Angie Moore, of the Granite City High girls soccer team; Delarren Young, of the Trojans' track team; Kurt Hylla, of the Granite City High baseball team; and Joe Gray of the Granite City High basketball squad.

All were chosen by the Press-Record Sports Staff, and will receive a certificate in honor of their selections.

WILLIAMS said he plans to attend college, but doesn't know what field of study he would like to zero in on.

While he says he is now on the school's "Honor Roll," he indicated he didn't pay that much attention to studies his first few years in high school. Should he get to college,

there likely will be a basketball waiting.

The Trojans' appearance in the state tournament finals is nothing new to Williams, a starting shortstop for the school's baseball team this spring and whose fine play for the school's soccer team last fall earned him an award from the United States Army.

WILLIAMS made the trip to state with the Trojans in 1977, the year they won the title.

He was in fourth grade.

"I was the manager," says Deloyd, whose brother Ron played for the team. "I passed out socks, towels and gave the players water."

Deloyd's picture was taken along with the rest of the team's players. It was a proud moment, much like the one March 12 when the smile was wide and the victory nets hung around his neck.

As for those nets, Watson says, "I know where they're at."

He didn't say you had to give them back, Deloyd.

ANGIE MOORE (Warrior soccer): Not only did Moore score the first goal in the history of the girls soccer team, but also the next two. You can

bet she'll be writing more history as time unfolds. She's just a sophomore. The future is bright.

"She reads the game well," Warrior coach Mike Velloff says. "She's like a chess player (on the soccer field). She's like two kicks ahead of the ball. She plans ahead."

Another asset is her versatility. Velloff points out, "I can use her in any position on the field," he says.

In addition, Velloff points out: Moore has an "excellent shot."

"She's a hard worker," says Velloff. "I guess she's been playing the game quite a long time."

No doubt. Three older brothers also sparked in soccer — for the boys team.

DELARREN YOUNG (Trojan track): Young let it be known early he would be a force to reckon with this year. At the Eastern Illinois University Invitational meet held at the beginning of the season, Young completed the 800 meter run in 1:18.2 — two tenths of a second off the meet record.

He hasn't stopped running since. Young has been his best in the 800 meter event. He has yet to be

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SPORTS

Back On Track

Warriors end skid; rally to beat ESTL Flyers

Play Tonight, Friday

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — What a difference one day can make.

No one knows that better than Granite City High School's Bob Stegemeier, the Warriors' varsity baseball coach.

Monday afternoon in Collinsville, Stegemeier saw his team pummeled by the Kahoks 5-2. It was probably the Warriors' worst effort of the season.

Not only did the Warriors falter, but they lost in a big way. The Kahoks' Duane Burress, the game's winning hurler, sent 14 Warriors to the bench on strikes, eight of those K's coming in succession. It was his second win of the season and lifted the Kahoks to 2-2 on the season.

THE LOSS was the Warriors' fourth straight and after a show-stopping 4-0 start, dropped their tally to an even 4-4 and 0-2 in the Southwestern Conference.

Then on Tuesday, at Varsity Field, the Warriors faced another SWC foe in the East St. Louis Flyers.

The Flyers brought with them to the game an impressive 6-1 record and a 2-0 slate in the league. East Side's only loss prior to the matchup was the Desmet last Thursday, a 12-1 setback in 10 innings.

In meeting the Flyers, had the Warriors played the way they had the day before East Side would have been a cinch to win.

THE FLYERS came to town tough, cocky and ready to put another hash mark in the win column. But on this day, the Warriors had different ideas.

This was a day to put the yesterday's behind them and address things at hand, namely the Flyers.

Behind the pitching of junior Eddie Gray, who upped his record to 2-1 with the 12-3 victory, the Warriors played good defense, allowing but two errors, six hits and three runs.

Gray, who Stegemeier calls his most accurate pitcher, miked his pitches well and kept the Flyers off balance for most of the game.

USING a nice combination of fast balls and off-speed pitches, Gray threw in an occasional sinking curve ball to further frustrate the Flyers.

"Eric had good command of his pitches today," Stegemeier said.

"He's a good pitcher, but he became a much better pitcher today, using his change-up and his curve. He's not going to strike out 12 or 15 batters a game. He's a finesse pitcher."

On the other side of the scorebook, neither the Flyers' pitching nor their defense was up to handling Stegemeier's squad. Using four different hurlers, the Flyers allowed six passes, 11 hits and a flurry of runs in the bottom of the second inning. Seven to be exact. After that, the Flyers never really threatened a comeback.

IN FACT, in the bottom of the fifth inning with Jimmy Chomko stranded on third, the Warriors came within two runs of making it a five-inning ballgame.

"Good ballgame," Stegemeier said smiling after the game. "It was a real good ballgame, although even with the lead we had I'm never ready to relax (until it's over)."

They're a very capable ballclub. They can come back on you any time," Stegemeier said of East St. Louis. "They've got some live arms and bats."

Indeed, the Flyers do have some fine pitchers. The best the Warriors saw Tuesday was Christopher Cotton. East Side's fourth pitcher of the afternoon.

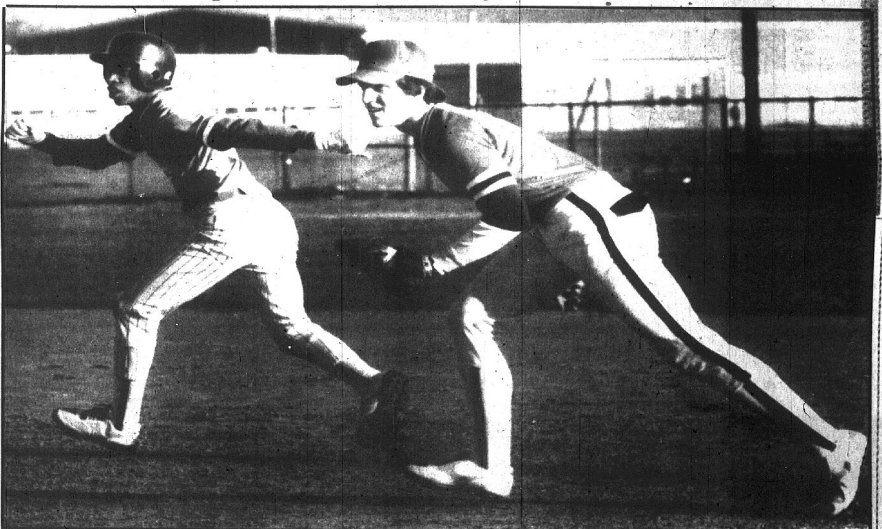
ALTHOUGH Cotton was the best the Warriors saw Tuesday, he's not the best the Flyers have to offer. Coach Art May's best is Bobby Deloach, the nifty right-hander who whiffed out Belleville West 1-0 the day before in 10 innings.

Despite not having the opportunity to see Deloach on the mound, Tuesday's ballgame did not pass without Deloach having some impact on the outcome. Battling three times in the contest, Deloach powered two long balls over the left-center field fence for two of the Flyers' three runs.

"OUR pitching let us down today," May said afterwards. "We used four pitchers today and really none of them performed the way I would have liked to see them."

"Not to take anything away from Granite City because they did a good job of stopping our rally, but if Bobby had been able to go (pitch) today, you might have seen a different outcome."

As for Deloach's offensive show-



MOVING ON THE PITCH. East St. Louis' Sanderic Sanders (left) and Granite City High School's first baseman Pat Carney move after Eric Gray makes a delivery toward home plate during Tuesday's conference baseball game at Varsity.

ing, May said that was par for his star hurler.

"Surprised by the two homers? No, not really. I don't know how many games he'll be able to put two out of the park, but he's got the power. He'll hit 15-16 homers for us this season."

For the record, Deloach's pair Tuesday were his third and fourth of the season.

BUT THE heightily Flyer wasn't the only person who shined at the plate. Others included Granite City's Jim Chomko and Dennis Gaudreault, both juniors.

Battling second, Chomko was 3-for-3 with a walk and an infield hit, while Gaudreault, pinch-hitting for Derek Merz, was 3-for-4 with two RBIs.

But as important as both Chomko and Gaudreault were to the Warriors' victory, equally as important were seniors Shane Cole, Randy Burgess and Pat Cathey.

With the bases loaded in the bottom of the second and the score tied at two, Cole batted off two Steve Hill pitches before he earned an RBI the hard way. Hit by a pitch in the ankle, Cole advanced to first and sent Fred Becker home to break the tie.

BURGESS then obliged by rapping a two-RBI single up the middle which scored Bill Moore and Chomko to increase the Warriors' lead to three, 5-2.

With runners at first and second, Cathey obliged by hitting a double to

center field which scored Cole.

It was also Cathey who scored batted in the Warriors' first two runs of the game. A first-inning shot to the right-center field gap, Cathey scored Chomko and Moore to tie the game at two at that point.

The significance of the Warrior

Field. Paced by a fine pitching performance by Gray and a clutch offensive showing by Cathey and some of his teammates, the Warriors battered the Flyers 12-3. Cathey, incidentally, batted in three runs in the Warriors' winning effort.

(Press-Record Photo by Alan L. Gerstenecker)

rally was not they were able to put a series of hits together, but more importantly that they were able to do so with men on base — in a clutch situation.

IT WAS those three hits — and even Kurt Hylla's which followed — which ultimately led to the War-

riors' seven-run second inning and lifted Stegemeier's team past the Flyers.

Leading 9-2 after the second inning, the Flyers picked-up another run in the third when Deloach hit his second round tripper.

After Deloach sent the Warriors

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At Tri-City Speedway

Blaney wins damp Outlaws

GRANITE CITY — Dave Blaney of Hartford, Ohio, won the rain-threatened World-of-Outlaws sprint car main event here at the Tri-City Speedway April 6.

The race was supposed to have been held Friday and Saturday night but Friday's program was rained out.

Promoter Ron Shuman of Mesa, Ariz., who was doubling as a promoter and race car driver, elected to have the race on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. But the Sunday afternoon show was also cancelled due to heavy rains.

BLANEY started the 20-lap main event on the front row in his No. 2 Chevy-powered sprinter, Rich Vogler of Indianapolis, Ind., a veteran of the Indianapolis 500 race, got tangled up with Bobby Allen of Hanover, Pa., on the front straight-

away. That sent both cars spinning across the track and against the inside concrete retaining wall with Vogler's front wheels and bumper nearly into the cockpit of Allen's.

Both drivers were unhurt.

After the restart it was Brad Doty putting on the special show when he flipped his Gary Stanton House car number 75. Doty, from Fredericksburg, Ohio, walked away unhurt, thanks to the roll cages and wings.

FOLLOWING Blaney across the finish line in second place was Jack Hewitt of Troy, Ohio, with a hard-charging Sammy Swindell nearly passing Hewitt at the checker flag.

Swindell driving the Old Milwaukee Beer car No. 1 from Memphis, Tenn., settled for third.

Scot Ritchart won the first heat race with the second heat going to Rodney Rittner of Bloomington, Ind.

The third heat went to Steve Kinser and the fourth heat went to Jeff Swindell of Memphis, Tenn. Fast qualifier of the evening was Bobby Allen. There was a total of 51 sprint cars on hand for the big event.

SHUMAN said ticket holders for the rained-out Sunday afternoon event will be honored on Friday, May 10, when the Outlaws will make another stop here in Granite City.

The speedway will host the U.M.P. late model stock car this Friday night, April 12, in a special late model stock car event on the half-mile dirt track.

The regular season will begin on Friday night, April 26, and will be racing U.M.P. late model stock cars, sportsmen's cars and bombers every Friday night except during the May 10 World-of-Outlaws event.

SportSchedule

Thursday, April 11	
BASEBALL: Madison at Livingston	4 p.m.
Venue vs. Worden, here	4 p.m.
SOFTBALL: GCHS vs. Allen, here	4 p.m.
Venue vs. Worden, here	4 p.m.
TRACK: Madison at Weslin	3:30 p.m.
Friday, April 12	
BASEBALL: GCHS vs. Providence (New Lenox) DH, here	4 p.m.
Madison vs. Triad, here	4 p.m.
SOCCER: GCHS at Hazelwood East	4 p.m.
Jayvex vs. Hazelwood East, here	4 p.m.
TRACK: Madison (B) at Dupre	4 p.m.
Saturday, April 13	
SOFTBALL: GCHS in Rotary Tournament	
TRACK: GCHS (B) at Hazelwood East Relays	9:30 a.m.
GCHS (C) at Orphan Area Relays, at Centralia	1 p.m.

'Saving Collinsville Basketball' Like Catalpa, many coaches firings becoming too casual

There aren't many things that I enjoy more than sports. Although sports isn't my favorite thing.

I suppose if I weren't writing sports I'd probably find some other way to stay affiliated with athletics either playing more than I do now or coaching.

Coaching. Now that's something that has always intrigued me.

I really admire coaches. These are men or women who give so much of themselves for nothing — volunteers — or for very little pay. So many of them do it for the "love of it."

And often, the young people they're dealing with are adolescents, young people going through their formative years. So, a coach can be very influential.

This ability or this capability to influence young people is something that shouldn't be taken lightly. And, the really good coaches don't.

Too often, though, there's too much emphasis put on winning or "the direction a program is going" rather than competing for "sport." And, that's something that's more and more prevalent all the time.

Take for example Gene Catalpa, the Collinsville Kahoks' basketball coach last season. Catalpa, who just finished his seventh season with the Kahoks, led them to a 15-12 season record and a share of the Southwestern Conference title. His career record with the Kahoks is 126-65.

Not bad. Nope, not too shabby by all.

No doubt, a lot of schools would like to have that kind of record.

And, winning isn't everything, right?

Well, in this instance, Catalpa WAS winning. But

evidently even that wasn't enough for members of the Collinsville Unit 10 school board.

Last Monday evening, the board fired Catalpa as the Kahoks' coach. The vote was 5-1 to remove him.

How could they remove a coach with that kind of record you ask? That's the several thousand dollar question.

I'm afraid Catalpa was the scapegoat for what Collinsville officials see as a faltering Kahok basketball program. Not necessarily on the court, but in the box office.

Sure, Collinsville is rich in basketball tradition.

Sure, they aren't winning as much as they used to.

Sure, they miss Vergil Fletcher, the Kahoks' legendary coach.

Sure, Sure, Sure.

But you know what? Things change. Times change.

Collinsville had a basketball dynasty, but even the Roman Empire fell. The reason they aren't winning anymore is two-fold, and not necessarily because of what Catalpa did or didn't do.

First, I don't believe Catalpa had the talent to work with that the Kahoks have had in the past. He's had some fine young men recently, but they don't really match up with the Bobby Bones, the Rich Knarss, the Joe Ossolis or even the Kevin Stallings.

And, secondly, I believe the competition may be getting better. Every team in the area is emulating in one way or another the Collinsville program — the grasses, the half-court traps, the personality of the Kahoks' game.

And, finally, Catalpa may have been doomed from the very beginning. He stepped in 1978 — the year Fletcher retired — a marked man.

It's pretty tough to fill the shoes of a living legend.

According to one account, the reason given for



Sports on the Run

By Al Gerstenecker

Catalpa's dismissal was "the program was beginning to lack the discipline it had before."

Okay.

Maybe that's a symptom, but not the cause. Catalpa may not be one of the most "structured" coaches.

But he won! And, he loved his job and the kids. That was obvious from the "high fives" he slapped on his players during a pre-game introduction.

And another thing. Talk about post-game etiquette. Catalpa had it. He never gave the media any problems, win or lose. And the Kahoks did twice this season to Granite City.

Just a few more things on the topic. I think I understand what the Collinsville school board was trying to do in firing Catalpa — trying to save or even pump new life into the Kahok basketball program, a program that at one time was the envy of nearly every coach in Illinois.

To Collinsville, basketball is a treasured commodity. Its ticket sales generated an awful lot of revenue.

And now, with crowds down, that may be the real reason for Catalpa's dismissal — hoping a new man might instill new fan interest.

But firing coaches has become an almost casual affair and it's seldom a cure-all. Something to bring the people back. Fill the stands. It may and it may not work.

If that was the board's figuring, for it to work, Collinsville will have to bring in a big name or even bring back Fletcher. Although, if I were Fletcher, I'd avoid it like a fifth personal foul. He retired a great basketball coach. Anything he does now may only jeopardize or tarnish, in the fan's minds, his illustrious career.

The Collinsville basketball program is at a crossroads. And, nearly everyone is watching which road it will take.

On a related note, it has been learned that two other area high school basketball coaches were fired recently. In addition to Catalpa, Don Ottens, of Belleville East, was dismissed as the Lancers' coach for the 1984-85 season. The other coach, Harland Schiebel, coached at Hillsboro. Oddly enough, Schiebel starred at Collinsville in the 1950's.



PLAY AT SECOND. Venice second basemen Rosie Harmon awaits the throw as St. Paul's Jodie Fischer swipes the base during last Tuesday's girls softball game. St. Paul beat Venice 16-5 in the Red Devilettes' season opener.

(Press-Record Photo by Gregg Ochoa)

In Softball Opener

Vikings speed by Venice, 16-5

By GREGG OCHOA for the Press-Record

VENICE — It history could repeat itself, Rick Everage hopes it does so only in part.

The Red Devilettes opened the season the same way they ended last year — with a loss. St. Paul of Highland drubbed Venice 16-5 Tuesday with an eight-run outburst in the sixth inning.

Everage, the Venice coach, returns just two seniors from last year's team that finished 7-7 after winning their first seven games.

"Each new game is a learning experience for us," Everage said. "We still have to discover a way to play as one."

The Red Devilettes are young with just four juniors and the rest of the roster composed of freshmen.

The strength of the Venice team lies in the infield. The outfield, however, is still untuned.

It was a sixth inning error by right fielder Wendy King that lit the fuse to a St. Paul explosion. King broke in on a ball hit by Sueanne Frey and grabbed it for an instance, but the ball popped from her glove as King's momentum carried her forward.

In all, the Vikings sent 10 batters to the plate, scored eight runs on just four hits, received three walks and put the game out of reach.

Prior to that the Red Devilettes had rallied and tied the game at 5-5 in the fourth inning. With two out, Cassandra White singled and stole second. She moved to third on a bad

throw and scored on a wild pitch.

White pitched the entire seven innings game and allowed seven hits. She fanned three, but issued 12 walks.

"Cassandra has changed her pitching motion this year," Everage said. "So, she's still working on it. She went to a windmill delivery. Last year she threw slingshot. But, she's still working on getting the ball over faster."

Everage feels once White irons out the wrinkles of the new motion, she'll be effective.

"She's been working real hard, throwing about 100 pitches a day. She gets about 60 percent over the plate," Everage said.

Things didn't start out too good for Venice as St. Paul scored two times in the first inning without even getting a hit.

Jodie Fischer walked, went to second on a wild pitch and stole third.

Fischer scored when Venice third baseman Tina White fielded Frey's grounder but threw wildly home.

Frey later scored on another error off a ball hit by pitcher Kelly Rakkers.

The Red Devilettes bounced back. A baserun by Chanty Bradley, a stolen base and an error by St. Paul's Linda Kutz allowed Bradley to score. King, who had reached on that error, later raced home on a passed ball.

St. Paul again used Venice mistakes to regain the lead. Three walks, a successful double steal and a throwing error made the score 5-2.

Venice cut the lead to 5-4 in the third. Rosie Harmon reached on an error and Denetria Walker drew a base on balls. Bradley then singled up the middle to drive in two runs.

The Red Devilettes had a chance to pull even but lost a runner when Tina White was picked off third after she slipped when rounding the bag.

The Red Devilettes tied the game in the fourth, but also lost another runner as Melinda Burton was called out for leaving first base before the pitcher had released the ball.

"We made a lot of mental mistakes due to the fact that it was our first game," Everage said.

Venice threatened in the sixth inning, getting singles by Julie Malhrek and White. However, a double play ended the inning.

The Red Devilettes had nine hits — all singles. St. Paul, now 2-0, had seven hits and took advantage of six Venice errors.

Despite the first game outcome, Everage feels Venice will mature as the season progresses. "Conditions have to be right for these girls to play," the coach said. "I think some of the problems were nerves."

VENICE: C. White, 2-1B; T. White, 1B; Bradley, 2-1B, 2RB; Burton, 2-1B; Malhrek, 2-1B; L.P.C. White, 17 Inn. 1. SO-4, BB-12.

ST. PAUL: Fischer, RBI; Landman, 1B; RBL, HB, 2-1B, 2RB; Rakkers, RBI; Annemann, 2-1B; RBL; Kramer, 1B, 2RB; WP-Rakkers; 17 Inn. 1. SO-7, BB-5.

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Thursday SPORTS

Meet SIUC Today Cougars sweep by McKendree

By AL BARNES
for the Press-Record
EDWARDSVILLE — After a scheduled 28 games, Coach Gary (Bo) Collins' Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville baseball team is 12-6, and that, as the boys down home say, isn't bad at all. This afternoon, weather permitting, the SIUE Cougars will try to run their record up to 13-6 when they take on their big brothers, the Salukis of SIUC starting at 3 p.m.

Because, you see, the Cougars have been rained out of 10 games. Yesterday, Elmhurst College of northern Illinois was here for a twin-bill and the diamond down below the bluff at Edwardsville was more suited for a swimming meet than a baseball game.

THE COUGARS have been playing solid baseball coming into their bat-

tle with SIUC, who beat them 2-1 less than a week ago in a rain-shortened game (4½ innings).

Sunday, the Cougars split a twin-bill against the Fightin' Saints of St. Francis College of Joliet, losing the first one 6-5, and winning the second one 5-3. Collinsville's Pete Deikus got the victory; his fourth on the campaign against no losses, while bad-luck John Greenert was tagged for the defeat. The Saints won a victory this spring over the Illini.

TUESDAY, making up a pair of rained out games, the Cougars swept a double-header from McKendree College in impressive fashion, 11-0 in the opener behind the shutout hurling of their southpaw ace, slender 5-foot 6-inch Tony Duenas, and a standout five-hit job by Alton freshman, Marty Johns, by a 7-3 score.

Duenas, playing both games against the McKendree Bearcats, had not only a great day on the mound but collected four hits in the pair of games to raise his average to .389. He leads the Cougars in runs batted in with 18.

Vying with Duenas for batting honors against McKendree was senior Tom Gray of St. Louis Lutheran South who collected three hits including a pair of doubles. Granite City's Mike Robertson has continued his batting surge and is now tied for top hitting honors with Steve Blumner of Collinsville with .333 averages.

		SCORING	
		(First Game)	
McKENDREE	0	0	0
SIUE	0	0	0
McKENDREE	0	0	0
SIUE	0	0	0

(Second Game)

		SCORING	
		(First Game)	
McKENDREE	0	0	0
SIUE	0	0	0
McKENDREE	0	0	0
SIUE	0	0	0

Venice Baseball 'Young' Devils fall to Vikings

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record
VENICE — The Venice High School Red Devils could qualify as the team most likely to get carded.

Their roster includes just three juniors: first baseman Wilfred Wigfall, third baseman Mike Hogan and right fielder Marion Jennings.

They have two sophomores: Orlando Love, pitcher and Carl Townsend, center field. The rest are freshmen: catcher Tyrone Treadway, second baseman Derek Wise, shortstop Dale Turner, left fielder Gary Wiley and substitutes Terry Wiley and Johnny Lyons.

They have no seniors.

BUT THERE are blessings in youth. They have a tendency to learn fast.

The Red Devils demonstrated that Tuesday afternoon, despite losing 11-5 to the St. Paul Vikings. The Red Devils are 0-2 while the Vikings, the defending champions of the Illini Gateway East Conference, are 2-0.

When Love jumped on a fastball by Viking hurler Roger Landeman in the first inning and rifled it down the right field line to score Turner, Wigfall and Hogan — all of whom had walked — the Red Devils wiped

away much of the misery of their 8-0 loss to Vashon in the season opener.

They're learning, too. Love pitched admirably, despite giving up 11 walks. Nine of those walks came in the first three innings. He was visibly upset with some of the umpire's calls. Then came the advice.

"No reason to get down," Harris

said he told him. "Just keep trying to throw strikes."

He did, too. He's also got plenty of time to get better, as do his teammates.

		SCORING	
		(First Game)	
McKENDREE	0	0	0
SIUE	0	0	0
McKENDREE	0	0	0
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Warrior Baseball

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ending double play. After that, the Flyers never threatened again.

Granite City padded its lead with a pair of runs in the fifth and then another in the sixth to round out the scoring.

Today, the Warriors will host New Athens for a 4 p.m. contest and then face Providence (New Lenox) on Friday for a double-header which begins at 4 p.m. at Varsity Field.

ST. PAUL VENICE

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McKENDREE	0	0	0
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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

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ST. PAUL VENICE

		SCORING	
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McKENDREE	0	0	0
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ST. PAUL VENICE

Athletes

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defeated. His fastest time was 2:03.5 — not far off the 1:59 time needed to qualify for the state meet. It's definitely within his reach.

"If he continues to improve like he has been," Trojan coach Charles Steptoe says.

"He's a hard worker," says Steptoe. "He's been putting in a lot of running at practice and at home. He tells me he's up to six miles a day now. That's pretty good."

JOE GRAY (Warrior basketball): You might call Gray the man with the fastest hands in the west — certainly the quickest hands in Granite City.

A junior, the 5-10 Gray has held down the point guard position for the Warriors the past two seasons. Besides his fiery competitiveness, his forte has been defense.

"He's got super quick hands," Warrior coach Don Deterding points out.

Gray led the Warriors in steals and assists the past two years, and was among the leaders in the area in the two categories, Deterding notes.

"He's very, very competitive," Deterding says. "He hates to lose. Boy, he just really goes at it. He's the type of guy who can run forever. I've never really seen him tired."

Gray is a junior. "I'm just happy to have him back one more year," says Deterding.

KURT HYLLA (Warrior baseball): A senior, Hylla was unable to play baseball last spring, shelved by an injury. The hurt has healed. Hylla has returned with a vengeance.

Through March, Hylla went eight for 10. He went to the plate swinging hard. Of Hylla's eight hits, three went for doubles and another for a home run. 14 total bases in all. When the air had calmed, Hylla was left with a slugging percentage of 1.400 (computed by dividing total bases by times at bat).

"We didn't expect him to stay there," Warrior coach Bob Stegmeyer said. "But he's still hitting the ball."

Hylla's slugging percentage is now .778. Babe Ruth should be so pleased.

"He's a good athlete," said Stegmeyer, pointing out that Hylla's physical ability is a big reason he has been able to play so well so early after missing all of last year.

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Among the things that will be discussed at the meeting, which begins at 7:30 p.m., are plans for the annual booster club barbecue which is slated for May 3 and 4.

The club is also discussing it new officers for the coming 1985-86 school year. Persons interested in becoming a booster club member should attend Tuesday's meeting.

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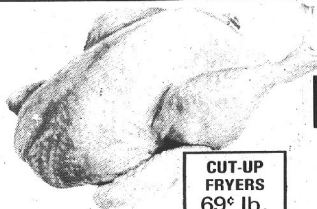
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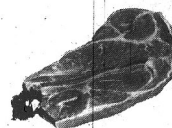
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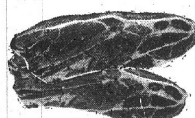


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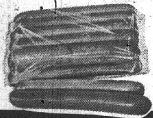


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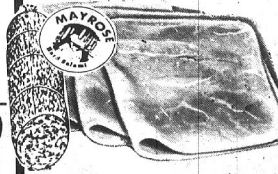
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Madison Junior Service Club celebrates its golden years

The Madison Junior Service Club celebrated its 50-year anniversary with a dinner at the Madison Memorial Center.

President Diane Hudzik welcomed 80 guests, saying that although the club had changed much since its inception, the main objective remains the same: to serve the community in any way possible.

The invocation was given by immediate past president Donna Woodward. The buffet table was adorned in silver and there was a three-tiered 50th anniversary cake. Guests also enjoyed a champagne fountain.

Plans selections were played during the dinner by Carla Reynolds.

JoAnn Gushleff, president in 1981, served as master of ceremonies and introduced four speakers who highlighted the club's achievements.

Marguerite Connole, president in 1941, spoke of the formation of the club and activities during the early years.

Lillian Delps, president in 1953, a sustaining member, and present club sponsor, spoke about the 1949-52 spring follies. She told anecdotes about skills that were performed and

noted that the follies were a major fund-raising event.

Rita Barnhart, 1969 president and a sustaining member, said the addition of many projects to the club's calendar during the 1960s and 1970s included scholarships to nursing students, sponsorship of Girl Scout troops, financing of special needs cases of children in Madison, participation annually in the Shriner's parade and the start of the tradition of "evenings with Santa." Many of these projects continue today.

Caroline Champion, president in 1982 and an active member, shared with the group the evolution of the club as it serves the community today.

She enumerated services the club continues from the past as well as new projects. These include a pancake and sausage breakfast, Las Vegas night, sale of pizzas and pecans, taste tests, and roadblocks.

The Evening with Santa program for children of Madison and the surrounding area is written, directed and performed by members and their own children.

She noted that the club continues to help individuals in need and also

gives substantial yearly donations to Hospital of Madison County, the American Cancer Society, and the March of Dimes. The group provides food baskets at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter to needy families.

Diane Hudzik recognized the attending past presidents and federation presidents. She said that without the support of many individuals in the community, the club's endeavors would be hampered.

She also recognized husbands and families who participate when needed.

The planning committee for the event consisted of JoAnn Gushleff, Donna Woodward, June Reynolds, Mary Moore, Fannie Fisk and Lillian Delps.

Ruth's Ragtime Gals entertained. Guests also enjoyed looking at displays of old pictures and newspaper clippings, prepared by Marcela Obranovich, Lillian Delps, Fannie Fisk and Mary Moore. Several yearbooks belonging to past presidents were displayed.

Those attending were Gene and

Helen Daley, Dorothy Smith, Troy and Darlene Glasgow, Dave and Shirley Clark, Irene Cook, Leora Thebeau, Mary Stawar, Carla Voloski, Charlene Voloski, Adrienne Warchol, John and Marcella Obranovich.

Mary Moore, Emmett Piaz, Jim and Martha Jean Hayes, Bob and Rita Barnhart, Elvera Stagner, Rick and Toni Shabo, Georgia Stawar, Bill and Jackie Snell, Teresa Rhoads, Donna Fouts, Paul and Mary Ashford, Gertrude and William Ashford.

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DeLoyce Rhoads, Debbie Dillon, Bill and JoAnn Gushleff, Bud and Caroline Champion, Al and Diane Hudzik, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Ozanich and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bathon.



FEDERATION PRESIDENTS during the Madison Junior Service Club's 50th years. Madisons leading the Federation included (left to right) Marguerite Connole, Janet Shultz, Lillian Delps and Elvera Stagner. Lillian Delps is the club sponsor.

Matrons, patrons celebrate Easter

Past Matrons and Patrons of Granite Chapter 650, Order of the Eastern Star, held their spring dinner Saturday night, Easter Eve. The honored guests were Wanda and William MacDonough, presiding worthy matron and patron.

"The theme was, 'The world is full of beauty when the heart is full of love.' The decor featured red hearts which lined the table and held a variety of Easter candies. In the

center of the tables were large Easter bunnies in pink, blue and yellow.

The invocation was given by Vee Thorne and a buffet meal was served. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Orvin Dieckmann, Irene Kenner, Mary Billrey, Ida Cariss, Arline Fox, Clarence Hoffman, Donny Meyer, Vee Thorne, Mary Hoffman and Betty McClintock.

Mitchell news

Savannah Johnson was complimented with a pre-wedding shower at the VFW Hall in Granite City, given by Loretta Rose and Shirley Brenner. Those attending were Carol McNeely of St. Peters, Mo., Shelly Downs of St. Charles, Mo., June Dunnivant, Kim Martin, Cleo Schmeke, Heather Rice, Velma Presley, Marilyn Rice, Irene Schmeke, Judy Battres, Ollie Conway, Linda Conner, Josie and Eddie Dunnivant, Sue Schaefer, Edna Freese, Edna Whitton, Sandy Brenner, Margaret Champion and Alma and Rose Hoffman.

Fern Corey and Claudia Stephens and her children, Amy and Christopher, have returned from Claremore, Okla., where they visited Claude and Jean Schloss and family.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens met at the Township Hall with 69 members and guests enjoying a corned beef and cabbage dinner prepared by Clifford and Maxine Duniphan.

President Helen Rosener opened the meeting after flags were presented by Marie Wythers and Sally Segar. Reports were given by Loraine Stagner and Pearl Turner.

Program Chairman Lillian Delps awarded prizes to Mary Ball, Ferd Segar, Gerry Schieb, Clifford Duniphan, John Decota, Ralph Meohle, Ruby Stearns, Gertrude Shook, Jo Bergener, Willard Myers, John Compagno, Irene Harrison, Helen Richardson, Ida Landholt and Ralph Thomas.

The birthday song was sung to William Richardson, Homer Long, Bernice Myers and Josephine Burgener. On April 23, ham will be furnished by the organization and covered dishes will be brought by members.

Richard and Cynthia (Lesko) Goodman and children, Jarrod, Brook and Rachael, of Loves Park, Ill., were guests Easter week of her parents, Michael and Zora Lesko of Cynthia Lane.



PINWOOD DERBY WINNERS. Cub Scouts of Pack 122 capture top prizes in the annual derby race. Front row from left, Chris Finn, second; John Janzen, first; Michael Davis, third; Jason Sharp, first; Donnie Oehlecker, third. Back row, Ben Tegel, first; Steve Tegel, second; Mike Lipchik, second, and Brad Bierschwal, third.

Cahokian Indians are recalled

The Five Star Club of Central Bank enjoys a historical lesson on the local area. Susanne Kutterer-Siburt, curator for Cahokia Mounds State Park, presented a slide program of the park.

She related that, according to archaeologists' finds, the Cahokia site was inhabited about 700 A.D. by prehistoric Indians. The city covered about six square miles and had a population of tens of thousands. Houses were arranged along streets.

The mounds are entirely earthen.

Emylee Alford, club coordinator, advised members to make reservations for trips to the ball game April 24 and a Wisconsin Dells tour June 18. Visitors are welcome on both trips and may call her at 876-1212.

Those celebrating April birthdays received zippered bags. Alford and Ethel Lurch served refreshments to 50 members.

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Social Digest

Junior Service Club will give scholarship

The Granite City Junior Service Club held its monthly meeting at Nameoki United Methodist Church, led by President Jo Ella Harris. Debbie McMillan, chairman of the pizza fundraiser, reported the club made 350 pizzas and distributed them in March.

The club will be awarding a scholarship for a graduating senior this spring. Applications are being

accepted at the high school and the deadline is April 30.

The club held an Easter egg hunt for children of the members, with Becky Serlich and Elaine Rains in charge.

New officers will be installed at the April installation dinner. Attending were Lynette Burnett, Joyce Curran, Faith Holsinger, Mary Holloway, Donna Polivick, Laura Rapoff, Sarah Repp, Donna Sprinkle, Brenda Weckman, Jeanne Wilbur, Joyce Hellerich, Ruth Klaus, Pat Murphy and Mary Ann Bright. Guests were Mary Jo Siebold and Diane Moran.

Chapter creates Easter bonnets

In keeping with the International theme, "Paint a Living Masterpiece," members of Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi created Easter bonnets at a meeting in the home of Joan Pritchard. The use of yarn, lace, ribbons and other materials added to the creations, which will be modeled at a later sorority function.

President Linda Koenig conducted the business meeting, which focused on Founder's Day activities and the upcoming visit of Lydia Moody from the international office.

The following officers were elected to serve the next year: president — Miss Marilyn Lumpkins, vice president — Miss Joan Pritchard, treasurer — Mrs. Carolyn Walsh, recording secretary — Vickie Barth, corresponding secretary — Mrs. Carol Cathey, extension officer — Mrs. Linda Koenig, and City Council representatives — Miss Lumpkins and Mrs. Koenig, with Mrs. B.J. Jones as alternate.

Miss Lumpkins shared information with the group about a June 4 state breakfast to be held at the Lodge of the Four Seasons.

New Life Center offers assistance

New Life Love Center, 1909 State St., is offering assistance to area residents, according to the Rev. Daniel Moore.

Those who are in need of food, clothing or counseling are invited to visit the center from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday each week, Rev. Moore explained.

He added that anyone needing help or information may call 451-1022 or 877-1739.

Bob Young elected to head parents group

Bob Young was elected president of Parents Without Partners, Granite City Chapter 470. Other officers elected were: vice president, Burl Ottinger; recording secretary, Virginia Gonzales; treasurer, Joann Svoboda; vice president, membership, Jon Worley; vice president, ways and means, Doris Hendricks; ethics and grievances, chairperson, Max Schaeffer; and publicity chairperson, Nettie Gillespie.

The international, non-profit, non-sectarian educational organization is devoted to the welfare and interest of single parents and their children.

Right Weigh diet classes offered

Whether you have a chronic weight problem or have just put on a few pounds over the winter, the Right Weigh Diet Program offered by St. Elizabeth Medical Center may provide a solution in a 12-week series of classes. An individual can learn how to lose weight and keep it off, without resorting to drugs or fad diets, a spokesman said.

Right Weigh classes include information about basic nutrition and how to establish reasonable goals for weight loss. Class participants will learn behavior modification techniques that will help them in their dieting effort. They will also learn how stress affects their eating habits, and ways to reduce stress without overeating.

All the classes are taught by registered dietitians. Classes will be offered at two locations: St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, and the Rothenburg Building, Collinsville.

Tuesday morning and evening sessions will begin April 16; Thursday morning and evening classes will begin April 18. Cost for the classes is \$50 per person.

For more information or to register for classes, the public may call Nutrition Education Services at SEMC, 798-3157.



Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Collins mark wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Collins, 2013 West 22nd St., were guests of honor at a dinner party in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

The social event was hosted by their children, Leonard and Katy Collins of Collinsville, and Hilda Barnes, in the latter's home.

Mr. Collins, born in Advance, Mo., and his wife, the former Aline M.

Hill of Glenn, Mo., were married March 27, 1935, in Marble Hill, Mo. He retired from Nestle Co. in 1980.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tolbert, a brother-in-law and sister of Mr. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shelton, a brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Collins, Jim Barnes, Carla Duncan, and Mike and Mark Collins.

Cub Pack 22 hosts annual dinner meet

The annual blue and gold dinner for Cub Scout Pack 22 was held at the Granite City Township Hall in keeping with a diamond jubilee theme.

Bob Simon welcomed members and guests, followed by Dens 2 and 6 conducting the opening ceremony. The Rev. Robert Widbin offered the invocation.

Cubmaster Bob Simon introduced special guests, Dennis Moore, district executive, Fred Mercer,

district commissioner, Pat Foote, Pack 22 scout commissioner, and Rev. and Mrs. Widbin.

Awards were presented for the charter, honor unit, advancements, 75th diamond jubilee, special honors, pinewood derby, summer Olympics, God and Country, Arrow of Light and den leaders.

Awards tea Sunday

The third annual awards program and tea sponsored by the Madison Progressive Women's Club, an affiliate of the Southern District Illinois Association of Club Women and Girls, will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at the Venice Recreation Center, 323 Broadway.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. Delores Wanzo, Centralia, administrative assistant to the Advisory Board of Kaskaskia College.

The club will recognize outstanding men and women of this area who have made worthwhile contributions to the church, society and community.

The public is invited to share in this program and tea. The donation is \$2. Mrs. Frankie Griggs is president and Mrs. Phyllis Haynes is general chairperson, aided by Mrs. Helen R. King.

Outstanding Young Women selected

Local residents among those selected by the Board of Advisors for the Outstanding Young Women of America awards program include: Susan Elaine Kirkham, 4150 South St., Marilyn Kay Beyer, 3037 Buxton Ave., Jennifer Ann Sage, 2825 Grand Ave., Deborah Ann Buer, 40, Edwardsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Krug parents of boy

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. (Anita Dawn) Krug Jr., of 2802 Cayuga Ave., became the parents of their first child, a boy, on March 22, at Oliver C. Anderson Hospital, Maryville.

The infant has been named Gerald Lee Krug III and he weighed 10 pounds, 2 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Krug Sr., of Granite City, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim (Mary) Barr of Edwardsville.

Great-grandparents include, Naomi Hastings of Wood River, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole, of Granite City, and the great-great-grandfather, Otis Monday, also resides in Granite City.

Second child for Mr. and Mrs. Losito

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Losito of Granite City are announcing the birth of their second child, a girl, April 4 at St. Mary's Health Center, Richmond Heights, Mo.

The infant has been named Anne Elizabeth and weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces. She has a 3-year-old brother, Christopher.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bittick and Mrs. Wilma Gramlich, all of Granite City, and the late Joe Gramlich Jr. Great-grandparents include Mrs. Legia Scarborough, Granite City, Herbert Bittick Sr., Potomac, Mo., and Mrs. Vito Losito, Chicago.

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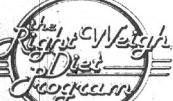
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DUI actions

Quad-Cityans arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol include:

John D. Veach, 3237 Willow Ave., arrested by Ponton Beach police at 2:47 p.m. Wednesday in the 3900 block of Highway 111. Ponton Beach officers made the arrest after observing Veach driving on the wrong side of the highway.

Patrick J. Osuchowski, 28, of 3327 Johnson Road, contacted at his home at 4:45 p.m. Sunday and served with a warrant alleging failure to appear on a driving under the influence of alcohol charge.

Darrell K. Cook, 28, of 2411 Jorden Ave., arrested by Granite City police at 9:50 a.m. Sunday in the alley behind the 2800 block of Madison Avenue.

TWO IN AUTO ARRESTED

Two men were arrested at 6:10 p.m. Saturday at 20th Street and Bryan Avenue after police allegedly found two cans of open beer in the rear seat of their car. Luther E. Parrott, 20, of 2055 Cleveland Blvd., the driver was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, while Roger D. Parker, 20, of 2502 Kirkpatrick Homes was charged with possession of alcohol. Parrott was released on \$102 bail and Parks was freed on \$52 cash.



ADDIE DARDEN

Addie Darden ending 38-year teaching career

Addie Darden, who served in the Madison School District for 38 years as a teacher in the elementary schools, is retiring this spring. She graduated from the Davidson County Public School of Nashville, Tenn., and received her bachelor degree from Tennessee A & I State Teachers College in Nashville. Her master's degree in elementary education was earned at the University of Illinois.

She did postgraduate work at the National College of Education, Evanston, Ill., Fisk University, Nashville, St. Louis University, and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and Carbondale, and Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind. She began her work at Dunbar School under the leadership of Principal Joshua Johnson. She taught the first through sixth grades and was high school cheerleader coach, also working with the Dunbar PTA.

Darden became active in the Madison Federation of Teachers and served as president of Local 763 as well as secretary and on many committees. She was instrumental in helping the teachers get a single salary schedule, and served on the salary committee for many years.

She taught at Blair School in 1960 under the leadership of Richard Spillers and later at Harris School under the leadership of Porter Cawley and David Becherer.

Darden was a cooperative teacher for the Teacher Corps at Harris School and taught Head Start at Blair and Harris schools, serving as head teacher. In 1977 she was hired as the assistant Chapter 1 director for the Madison public schools and part-time kindergarten teacher. One of the original organizers of the Madison Teachers Federal Credit Union, she is a member of the board and held the office of secretary of the credit union for 10 years.

She is a member of St. John AME Methodist Church in St. Louis. The initial organizer of the Martin Luther King scholarship fund in Madison, she is married to Robert Darden Jr. of St. Louis and has one daughter, Willa Mohamed of Silver Springs, Md., a son-in-law, Dr. Frazil Mohamed, and three grandchildren.

She comments, "I have devoted most of my life to the Madison community. If I have helped someone along the way, then my teaching has not been in vain."

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Madison to get new trash cans

By DONNA KIMBRO
Staff writer

Newly painted and decorated 50-gallon drums to be used as trash containers throughout Madison will be placed at various locations Friday morning.

Ray Edwards, president of the Madison Businessmen's Association, announced the distribution plan—as an initial phase of a spring clean-up effort—at a meeting of the organization Tuesday morning.

He informed the members that Shirley Greer, director of the Madison Recreation Center, and other employees at the center have completed painting the drums and decorating them with special designs.

Alfred Pace, who purchased the former Friedman store building, was introduced and spoke on the tentative date of late May for reopening a hardware store at 421 Madison Ave.

Margaret Lee of the enlarged First National Bank in Madison said the bank will hold its grand opening soon and possibly the date could be coordinated with Pace Hardware. If this plan is agreeable, other stores in the area could be asked to enter in the promotion, it was noted.

She said a tentative date could be June 8, perhaps including plans for a band, with invitations issued to the public to participate in the event.

Edwards said Tom and Dorothy Voloski will become new MBA members as owners of the former Duffin building, which they are redecorating for a grand opening in the first week of May.

Edwards said flower and shrub planters, being prepared by Al Schermer, will be ready to be placed at business places and other locations in Madison when weather permits.

He suggested the group consider erecting large welcoming signs at

the city limits. Although purchase of the signs would need to be supported by some type of funding project, he encouraged all to promote the idea as a worthwhile task for an active business association.

In an effort to encourage better attendance at the meetings it was suggested the May 14 meeting be scheduled for 5 p.m. at the Fireman's Hall. A final decision on the change of meeting time will be discussed at a board meeting at 8 a.m. April 16 at Brenda's Restaurant.

Another program for the Quad-City area is the annual spring clean-up set for Saturday, April 13, to encompass Venice, Madison, Granite City, Ponton Beach and Mitchell. There will be approximately 1,400 Boy and Girl Scouts involved in collecting trash and other debris along the roadways, school yards, alleys and intersections.

This project is sponsored by the Betterment Committee of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce.

Edwards reviewed several potential future projects to consider, including painting curbs and one-hour parking signs whose clarity deteriorated due to the winter weather.

He also spoke about the crime blockers program that has started in Venice and said perhaps the City of Madison will become involved in a similar project.

BUS PASSENGER INJURED

When an auto driven by Barry T. Bodenbach of East Alton pulled away from the curb at the 2400 block of Benton Street April 5, a collision occurred involving a Bi-State Development Agency bus operated by Howard E. Lathrop, 2500 Fine St. A passenger in the bus, Aurreta E. Kelley, 2524 Center St., sustained a minor injury.



Senator Alan J. Dixon

Weekly Report To Illinois

KEEPING ILLINOIS' MILITARY BASES

As Illinoisans know all too well, our state has been getting shortchanged in its return of federal tax dollars for years. We have suffered because of decreases in spending on the domestic side of the budget, and because of an inequitable allocation of defense spending.

Now, in what is being billed as a cost-cutting move, the Defense Department has released a list of military bases it says could be closed to save money. Twelve of the 22 sites on the list are located in the 19-state northeast-midwest region, which traditionally has been shortchanged by Pentagon spending. Two of those sites, the Great Lakes Naval Complex in Lake County and the Chicago Reserve Component located at O'Hare Field, are in our state.

Once again, this proposal places much of the burden for spending cuts on the older industrial states of the northeast and midwest. In addition, of all the categories of defense spending, military construction—that category under which bases are funded—is the one in which our area of the country has been short-changed the most.

In 1984, the northeast-midwest region, consisting of 44 percent of the nation's population and producing almost half of the nation's tax payments, received only 17 percent of total military construction funds.

By way of comparison, in the previous year, the state of California received fully \$80 million more than the entire northeast-midwest region in these funds.

This is not a one time occurrence, but rather a persistent trend. Since 1981, when this Administration took office, the military construction budget has increased by

almost 50 percent. The share of these funds going to northeast-midwest states, however, has declined from 20 percent to 17 percent.

What I find most outrageous about this base closing proposal is that it promises to worsen this regional tilt. Of all the areas of the country, ours can least afford to be treated in this way. These areas, like our state of Illinois, are home to the basic manufacturing industries that have suffered most in recent years in the way of unemployment, and that have been the slowest areas of the nation to recover from the recession.

And now we have a proposal that will only worsen the plight of our states.

What is particularly important in this instance is that spending for military bases is exactly the type of spending that creates jobs and economic activity in local communities. For each dollar invested in a military base, several other dollars are generated in the community in increased employment, housing starts, industry production, and consumption of goods and services.

Beyond the economic interests of Illinois, however, are the national security needs of our nation. The Great Lakes Naval Complex is the second largest training base in the nation and the Reserve Component at O'Hare has been defended by the Air Force for years as an absolute necessity for defense operations. Both of these have been in existence for many years and represent an important asset of both our nation and the communities surrounding them.

For all these reasons, I vow to fight this proposal in every possible way, to see that my area of the country does not continue to be treated unfairly.

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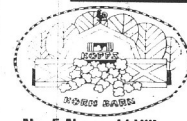
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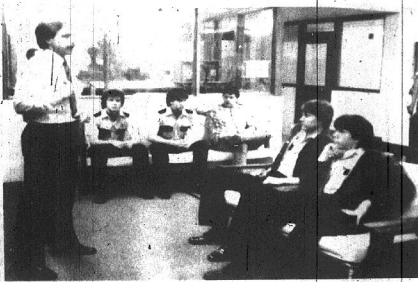
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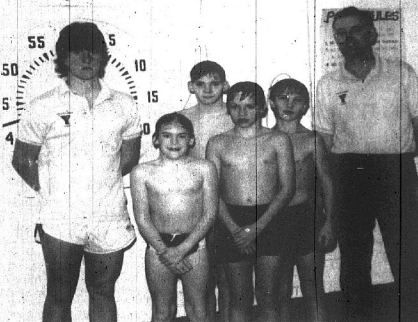
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JUVENILE DETENTION EXPLAINED. Steve Bowker, assistant superintendent of the Madison County Detention Home, explains rules and regulations that assigned juveniles must follow. Seated at the right are Explorers Steve Buhmann and Joe Bladdick. Seated in the background are (left to right) Explorers Mark Foley and Dave Ritchey, president and second vice president of Post 10-4, and John A. Boone, a prospective member of the post. Members of 10-4 have been studying various aspects of the Third Judicial Circuit criminal justice system's operation and organization, with the assistance of Thurl Jones.



LIFESAVING MERIT BADGES awarded to Boy Scouts after they completed a series of classes offered by the YMCA and directed by Jerry Swatling. From left are Counselor Brendon Baggot, Steve Fourcalt and Allen Williams. In the back row are Steven Smith, Robert Ferris and the instructor.

Mistake may lead to change in salary for Nameoki clerk

By SUSANNE INDELICATO
Staff writer

Nameoki Township officials are considering changing the salary they set for the town clerk's office. The salary schedule, set by resolution on March 25, contains an increase during the first year of the town clerk.

During passage of the salary list for township officials, Nameoki Supervisor Harry Briggs said that salaries for all offices would be frozen the first year of the new four-year term. The term begins May 6 for all elected officials except the collector and assessor, who begin their terms Jan. 1, 1986.

BUT BRIGGS says an inadvertent mistake was made in setting the salary for the clerk, who currently makes \$7,325 a year. The new salary for the clerk is set at \$8,325 for the first year, resulting in an \$800 increase.

Upon learning of the increase Tuesday morning, Briggs said he will ask the board of trustees to consider a resolution reducing the salary of the clerk, should Town Clerk Donald "Lee" Ridgeway agree to the reduction.

According to Briggs' proposed resolution, Ridgeway's salary would be frozen at its current level, \$7,325, and increase to \$8,325 the second year of his term, \$8,325 the third year and \$9,325 the fourth year.

IN ADDITION to Ridgeway's salary, the salary for the assessor also will increase on Jan. 1, 1986. Assessor Carl Maclos currently makes \$10,800, but his salary will go to \$12,300 in January. Briggs said the assessor's salary was increased because the raise is not effective until January.

All other township officials received pay freezes the first year of the next term, with increases in the second, third and fourth years.

During Monday's meeting of the Town Board of Trustees, Trustee Heien Hawkins objected to the minutes of the March 25 meeting because of the increase in the assessor's and clerk's salaries.

HAWKINS ALSO asked for a copy of a letter dismissing former part-time dogcatcher Tom Boushard. She said she was unaware that Boushard had been dismissed by the trustees.

"I told you he wasn't dismissed by the board; he was dismissed by me," Briggs responded. "He worked for the supervisor."

Hawkins said she still wanted a copy of the letter dismissing Boushard. "It seems very strange to me that there's no copy of the letter in sight."

BRIGGS INSTRUCTED her to put her request in writing and "we'll find it somewhere."

In other action, the board approved the sale of tax anticipation warrants for the town fund and for the road and bridge fund. Each warrant—three for the town fund and three for the road and bridge fund—is for \$20,000.

Hawkins, who voted against sale of the warrants, asked why the borrowing against future real estate taxes was needed. Briggs told her that in the past year, she "always objected to them, so we brought them all up at one time."

BRIGGS TOLD a reporter that the tax warrants were approved as a precautionary matter.

"We just authorized them. It doesn't mean we'll sell them all," he said.

Rules of Road review course here April 17

Secretary of State Jim Edgar, in cooperation with the Granite City Council of Senior Citizens, is offering a Rules of the Road review course for all citizens in the local area.

The purpose of the course is to help applicants pass the Illinois drivers license renewal examination. It updates drivers on current rules, explains the vision and driving ability examinations, and prepares applicants for the general written and road sign examination.

The course will be held at the Granite City Township Building, 2600 Delmar Ave., on Wednesday, April 17, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The course is free to everyone, any age, who wishes to attend. For more information, Clyde Myers can be contacted at 676-3981.



EASTER BONNET CREATIONS designed and made by members of the Madison Senior Citizens. Members modeled the seasonal bonnets for the judges, who selected Dorothea Ashley and Ignace Weiss as top winners. A luncheon was later served and games were played as an Easter "chick" (Mae Hendrickson) visited all members and guests.



GC man gets probation for residential burglary

Circuit Judge Philip J. Rarick has sentenced Michael Willings, 21, to six months in the county jail, one year of intensive supervision and three years probation on Willings' guilty plea Feb. 14 to a residential burglary charge.

Willings, of 5 Tulip Court, also has been ordered to pay \$95 court costs. The burglary charge was filed Nov. 5 after Pontoon Beach police received an anonymous call which stated that a burglary was in progress at Rural Route Two, Box 362, on Route 162.

When police arrived at the scene, they found a box containing several guns, cash and ammunition laying on the ground near the home.

Willings was seen walking about one-fourth mile from the crime scene and was charged with the burglary following a police interrogation.

SERVE TRAFFIC WARRANT

Franklin J. Brooks, 26, of 2215 Ohio Ave. was served a warrant, alleging failure to appear on a charge of speeding, when his auto was stopped by an officer April 6 at 22nd street and the railroad tracks. He was released on \$102 bail.

CHILD SAFETY SEAT TAKEN

Ann Dorris, 2429 Jerden Ave., reported at 11:10 a.m. Saturday that someone entered her auto and removed a child safety seat valued at \$50, while her car was parked in the lot at the Wilson Park ice rink.

On behalf of the Village Improvement Party, Mayor Glen R. Wilson would like to extend sincere thanks to the voters of Pontoon Beach for their support in Tuesday's election. Along with Trustees: Donald Rea, Robert Vincent, Robert Abel and Louis Whitsell, Glen offers special thanks to the campaign committee and to those people who worked so hard during the election. Your continued support of the Village Improvement Party will be greatly appreciated and will help ensure the future growth and development of Pontoon Beach.

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Church Activities

Methodist district meeting scheduled

A district meeting for area Methodist churches is planned for April 13. It was announced at a monthly meeting of Sarah Circle of Niedringhaus Church.

Leader Elizabeth Briggs said a salad luncheon will be held at 6:30 p.m. May 9 at the church for the United Methodist Women.

Mrs. Woodie Lynn presented the lesson and Mrs. Clara Sotiroff read a poem in keeping with the devotions. Others attending were Edna Friend, Thelma Clements, Eula Myers, Alice Cruse, Reba Wallace, Mary Ahlvers, Edna Lynn, Madonna Groshong, LaVerne Chapman, Paula Smith, Virginia Segar and Doris Wigger.

Annual scholarship banquet at church

The Southern Missionary Baptist Church, 921 Bissell St., will host its 8th annual banquet Saturday, April 13, at 7 p.m. The banquet is being sponsored by the Southern Baptist scholarship committee.

Barbara Madison, social worker and counselor with the Madison County Urban League, will be the guest speaker.

She graduated from State Community College in East St. Louis with an associate of arts degree and received a bachelor of science degree in human service with a minor in psychology from SIUE. She is presently doing graduate study in early childhood education at SIUE. The cost of the dinner is \$5. Proceeds will be used for scholarships.



EASTER at Grace Baptist Church featured a visit from holiday characters who entertained the children from age two months to 11 years. Beth Reiter is held by Chickery Chick (Mae Hendrickson), Misty Clark is in the center and Peter Cottontail (Rev. Nick Popilchek) holds Daniel Timko.

Film on women in prison

Bethesda Baptist Church, 3005 Nameoki Drive, will be showing a motion picture release of the International Prison Ministry of Dallas, Texas, entitled, "Honey, Your Mama's in Prison," at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 14. The film is on the importance of the family and the tragedy of family break-up as seen through the eyes of mothers who have been imprisoned for murder, assault, trafficking in drugs, forgery and embezzlement.

Bible series begins

A six-week series on six characters from the Bible — Abraham, Moses, Jeremiah, Peter, Paul and Mary — will be presented by Dr. Irvin Arkin, professor of theology at St. Louis University, beginning Wednesday, April 10, from 8 to 9:30 p.m. The series will be held in the Science Room of St. Elizabeth School, 2001 Pontoon Road. There will be a charge of \$2 per session or \$10 for the entire series.

Evangelist will speak

The First Baptist Church of Granite City, 21st Street and Delmar Avenue, will conduct "revival and renewal services" April 12, 13 and 14 at 7 p.m. The preaching evangelist will be the Rev. Leland Redfern of Caseyville.



MEETING THE PROVOST. Don Kassing (left), the new provost of Granite City Center, shakes hands with Chris Hinterer, a student at the college. Also pictured is Wilbur Trimpe, the former provost at the center. Kassing was formally introduced to the students at a reception this month in the college library.

(Staff photo by Gregg Ochso)

Highway commissioner praised during Nameoki Town meeting

By SUSANNE INDELICATO

Staff writer

Nameoki Township Highway Commissioner W. Lee Adams was praised for his efforts to reduce the road district's debt during the annual town meeting Tuesday night.

Adams has been highway commissioner since last October, when he replaced Frank Mehlich. In the April 2 election, Adams was elected to serve another four years in the post.

Speaking to residents attending the town meeting, Adams said that, six months ago, the road district was "financially in bad shape."

Adams said he is working to erase debts without cutting back in services.

ADAMS SAID he plans to blacktop and chip and seal several township roads. In addition, he is working to clean out area ditches to facilitate drainage.

Adams believes he can alleviate drainage problems along Warnock Avenue, Lake Drive and Ivy Lane. But Snowbird Lane presents problems, he said.

"If we can get rid of the drainage problem," he said, "that's 75 percent of the complaints."

THE OFFICIAL also noted that the road district is being paid for work done for Pontoon Beach. In addition, the road district has a snow-removal contract with the village in the amount of \$3,000 per year.

As for environmental clean-up programs, Adams said he will continue to pick up household items on the first Monday of each month. However, the picking up of limbs on the 15th of each month may change.

"I've only got eight employees. I'd like to get the limbs twice a year so I can free my men up. The streets and ditches are a lot more important. I just ask that the people keep an eye on the culverts and try to keep them clean," he said.

ADAMS ADDED that he also would pick up limbs should a storm knock them down.

Nameoki Township Trustee Joseph Garcia commented, "We'd appreciate it if people would put their limbs on the side of a ditch instead of in the ditch so they won't get flooded out. We're just looking for the help of the people in the township."

Assessor Carl Macios, who moderated the town meeting, commended Adams for an "excellent job in trying to get us out of the hole."

IN OTHER action, residents at the town meeting approved four resolutions. One resolution authorizes the transfer of \$24,000 from Revenue Sharing funds in the town fund to the road and bridge fund for environmental clean-up. An identical resolution was passed last year.

Another resolution passed at the meeting authorizes the transfer of \$7,000 from Revenue Sharing monies in the town fund to the road and bridge department for health projects. That resolution, too, is identical to one passed last year.

A third resolution authorizes the highway commissioner to sell or trade a tar truck and pick-up truck, while the fourth resolution authorizes the Town Board of Trustees to transfer up to \$10,000 to the highway department for the purchase of a tandem truck.

TOWNSHIP Supervisor Harry Briggs, who proposed the fourth resolution, said township officials have located a tandem truck in the Carbondale area. Since it is used, Briggs said, the township would pay only \$20,000 for the truck, while a new one would cost approximately \$50,000.

Briggs said he thought the township would have surplus Revenue Sharing funds to purchase the truck.

In other action, the township supervisor's annual report for the fiscal year ending Feb. 28 was approved by residents at the town meeting.

According to the report, town fund receipts totaled \$273,497, while disbursements were \$268,243, leaving a balance of \$5,254.

RECEIPTS in the general assistance fund totaled \$74,645 and disbursements \$54,184, leaving a checking account balance of \$20,460 and a certificate of deposit balance of \$30,000, for a total balance of \$50,460.

Receipts in the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund totaled \$97,274, while disbursements were \$83,728, leaving a balance of \$13,546.

Finally, residents approved the highway commissioner's report for the fiscal year. That report showed total receipts in the highway fund were \$401,251, while disbursements were \$369,386, leaving a balance of \$31,864.

HARD ROAD FUND receipts totaled \$179,082 and disbursements were \$166,666, for a balance of \$12,415.

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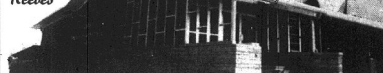
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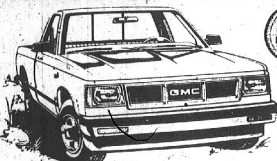
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On campus

Workshop teaches instructors about the outdoors

"Habitat Lap-Sit" is a lot harder to say than it is to play. It takes approximately 50 elementary, junior high and high school teachers attending an educational workshop on Project WILD at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville recently discovered.

Even though they are fun, the lessons learned through playing such games as "Habitat Lap-Sit" are serious business. "They are an excellent way of teaching children about the outdoors," Robert Williams, associate professor of elementary and childhood education at the university, said.

Sponsored by the Illinois Department of Education, the Illinois Department of Conservation, the Max McGraw Wildlife Foundation, and the university, Project WILD teaches teachers how they can help young people understand the importance of protecting the habitats of wildlife.

"The activities get teachers to thinking about issues in environmental education and show how they can work them into the curriculum," Williams said.

To play "Habitat Lap-Sit," participants were first divided into four

groups, representing the four elements necessary to support a wildlife habitat (i.e., water, food, shelter, and adequate space). A light circle was then formed, with all persons bending their knees so that they "sat" in the laps of one person, while supporting another in their own laps.

Then the narrator suggested several possible disasters that might affect the balance of the habitat, such as a drought, flood, or loss of feeding grounds through urban development. The elements affected by the disasters were then asked to step out of the circle. The ensuing scramble quickly destroyed the bond.

"Only so many can survive if their food and shelter are limited," Williams said. "If any of the elements necessary for survival are removed, it becomes difficult for the circle to maintain itself."

The professor pointed out that some habitats were destroyed last year because of too much water. "Wildlife has to find other sources for food and shelter or die," he said.

Williams said games are concrete ways of teaching abstract concepts.

"The children are able to see what happens when one or more of the necessary elements are endangered or lost. They are able to grasp the message," he said.

"Oh Deer!" teaches a similar lesson. Similar to Red Rover, "deers" are placed on one side of a line, while people representing the elements are placed on the other. The object of the game is to show children what happens to wildlife when one or more of the elements are missing from their habitat.

"If the deer find what they need, they will survive. If they don't, they will die," Williams said. "If the food supply is short one year, the deer population will decrease. There will be fewer deer the following year. That means more food for the surviving deer during the following year."

"We are gradually replacing animal habitats with human habitats, and some animals cannot co-exist with humans," Williams said. Emphasizing the importance of protecting the natural environment, he said, "We are going to have to learn to live together if we are going to survive."

The SIUE professor pointed out that the big question facing mankind is: "Can we exist if all the animals are gone?"



LEARNING ABOUT THE OUTDOORS THROUGH GAMES. Area elementary, junior high and high school teachers participate in "Habitat Lap-Sit," a game which shows teachers how to instruct students about the importance of protecting the habitats of wildlife. The game was played during a workshop at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Leading the session is Robert Williams, associate professor of elementary and childhood education at the university.

On campus briefs

Other area colleges

SIX GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been named to the dean's list at the Full Bible Gospel Institute, Export, Penn. Students include: Ruth Gailher, David Birrell, Laura Laswell, Jeanie White, Becky Miller and Ruth Ann Miller. The students are all members of Bethel Chapel Church.

TWO GRANITE CITY RESIDENTS have recently received diplomas from Sanford-Brown Business College. The students and their area of study are: Debra Daugherty, 2320 Madison Ave., secretarial receptionist, and Max S. Merz III, Rural Route 2, Box 1060, systems analyst computer and management.

DAVID W. HUNICUTT, a senior at Augustana College, Rock Island, Ill., performed in a play this month at the college entitled "An Evening of One Act." Hunicutt was the shop foreman in "Spill 7." He is the son of Mrs. and Mrs. Dennis Hunicutt, 2608 Cleveland Blvd.

ERICH DAVID MILLER of Granite City, recently completed a tour with the Northern Illinois University Jazz Ensemble. He is a percussionist with the group. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Miller, 1618 Lindell Blvd., and the grandson of Mary Miller. Miller is completing the requirements for a master's degree in multi-percussion performance. He completed his undergraduate studies at North Texas State University, Denton, Tex.

DEBBIE BESSERMAN, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Besserman of Granite City, is a recent graduate of Patricia Stevens Career College, St. Louis. Miss Besserman majored in the Secretarial School of the college, which is accredited by the Association of Independent Colleges and Schools as a one-year school of business.

FIVE GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been awarded Senate and Honor Scholarships from Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill. Students and their awards include: Lisa Jackson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jackson, has been awarded a \$14,000 Senate Scholarship; Douglas Limbaugh, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Limbaugh, has been awarded a \$6,000 Honor Scholarship; Dan McCommis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McCommis, has been awarded a \$6,000 Honor Scholarship; Tracy Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson, has been awarded a \$3,000 Honor Scholarship; and Richard Schierling, son of Ramona Schierling, has been awarded a \$6,000 Honor Scholarship.

DANIEL T. EDWARDS of Granite City, has been elected junior class vice-president at Evangel College, Springfield, Mo. Edwards is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. C. Dale Edwards of 2400 O'Hare Ave. He is majoring in business management.

TWO GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been admitted to the Dean's College undergraduate honors program at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Students include: Ronald S. Eberhardt, a speech pathology and audiology major, and Sandra L. Lathrop, and accountancy major.

FIVE GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been named to the dean's list at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, for their academic work during the 1984 fall semester. They are: Thomas John Adamitis of 2112 Amos Ave.; Karen Leigh Fuller of 1 Miami Court; Julie Ann Hay of 2365 Arnold Drive; Lawrence B. Holder of 2548 Cleveland Blvd.; and Keith Alan Seybert of 2444 Delmar Blvd.

MARIA THERESA QUANTE of Granite City, was one of 41 freshman students honored by the Lutheran Medical Center School of Nursing, during a capping and pinning ceremony this month.

JOHN MICHAEL KIRKPATRICK, the son of Jerome Kirkpatrick, 213 Wilson Park Lane, has accepted an academic scholarship to Southern Illinois University at Carbondale. He will attend the college next fall.

AMY D. KARNAGES, a University of Evansville student from Granite City, has been named to the dean's list at the university for her academic achievements during the winter quarter. Karnages is the daughter of Diane Karnages of 2337 Cleveland Blvd.

TWO GRANITE CITY RESIDENTS have been recognized for their academic achievements during the winter quarter at the School of Nursing at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Local residents include: Cynthia Dorch and Leah Lombard.

Belleville Area College

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE Trustee Kenneth Fish of Mascoutah stepped down from his post on the community college board this month. Fish's action was due to the appointment of his wife, Marjorie Fish, as BAC assistant registrar. Board Chairman Avery Schermer, a Madison businessman, will appoint an individual to complete Fish's six-year term.

PHOTOGRAPHY II, an advanced photography course, is being offered at the Madison Extension Center of Belleville Area College. The class will begin tonight at 7 p.m., in Room 203 at Madison High School.

Skills covered in the course will include artificial and natural lighting, use of a strobe, macro photography, and a printmaking and darkroom procedure. The fee for the eight-week course is \$36. For more information, interested persons may call Charles Steptoe at 876-7135, after 2 p.m. on weekdays.

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE'S Financial Aid and Placement Office will be open from 4 to 8 p.m., the following evenings in April: Tuesday, April 9; Thursday, April 18; Monday, April 22, and Thursday, April 25.

GCC slates ASSET testing for students

Students who will be taking college-level classes this summer or fall can start planning their classes now. Granite City Center (GCC) of Belleville Area College (BAC) will start administering the ASSET (Assessment for Successful Entry and Transfer) assessment, advancement and orientation program, starting Thursday, April 18, to help students determine their course needs.

Coffee concert to feature quartet

"The Lincoln String Quartet and Friends" will be featured at the next Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville Coffee Concert Chamber Music Series on Monday, April 15, at 8:15 p.m. in the Meridian Ballroom of the University Center.

The program will open with two of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's selections. A selection of Johannes Brahms' "Hungarian Dances" will follow. Samuel Barber's "Serenade" will conclude the first part of the program. These selections will be performed by Marion Lampe and Linda Perry, pianists.

After an intermission, the program will offer Felix Mendelssohn's "Octet in E Flat Major." Performers for the octet will be: Kent Perry, John Kendall, Randy Orsak and Stephen Stohs, violinists; Robert Schieber and Cynthia Richmond, violists; and Joseph Pival and Lauri Orsak, cellists.

The coffee concert features the students and faculty of the SIUE department of music performing in a relaxed setting, with special desserts and unlimited cups of coffee.

Tickets are \$4 for the general public and \$3 for SIUE students and senior citizens. The tickets may be purchased at the University Center Union Station or at the door on the evening of the performance.



NURSING GRADUATE.

Joyce A. Johnson, daughter of Robert and Ellen E. Riggs of 1021 Greenwood St., Madison, is a March graduate from Southern Illinois University's School of Nursing. She was awarded the Betty Mills Temple Award during the capping and pinning ceremony. The award, which is sponsored by the National Honor Society for Nursing, is given to the graduating nursing student who has demonstrated academic excellence throughout his or her program. Johnson's name also will appear in the National Dean's List, a publication of academically successful students.

ASSET will be given from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. each Thursday, beginning April 18 in room 542 GCC.

Students who wish to assure a seat in the class that suits their schedules are advised to take ASSET early. Then they can register for the classes they want, starting Monday, April 22.

Ray Modrell, GCC's Director of Student Development and Counseling, said ASSET is a success-oriented assessment program, which focuses on the areas of measurement with advisement and

placement services. First-time and transfer students taking three or more college credit classes and students taking their first college level math or English course are required to take ASSET before they register for their classes.

"ASSET assessment helps students determine their proper starting point for their math and English classes," Modrell said. Modrell explained that a large percentage of students need to take non-credit courses to prepare them

for credit courses they will take later.

"Approximately 65 percent of those starting classes usually take non-credit courses for shoring up before taking credit courses," he said.

"Students should think about taking ASSET now," he said. "If they need shoring-up courses they can take them this summer. Then they can be ready to start their for-credit courses this fall."

For information, interested persons may call GCC at 931-6602.

Applicants sought for student board

Full-time, part-time, night- and weekend students at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville are invited to apply for the Student Program Board (SPB).

According to Steve Sperotto, program coordinator for the Student Program Board (SPB), the organization is looking for SIUE students to fill volunteer administrative committee positions. "The positions provide valuable hands-on experience for students," Sperotto said.

The SPB president chairs SPB and advisory committee meetings. This is also the SPB representative to any faculty-student organization or university function

and serves as coordinator between the different committees.

To be considered for the position of SPB president, students interested in the office must be sophomores with at least 45 quarter hours of credit and must be in good academic standing. They must also have at least six months of experience in programming or activities.

Committee members also guide their committees in planning, publicizing, executing and evaluating program activities, events and projects that their committees have decided to undertake.

Coordinators are needed for the committees on campus forums; black programs; films, video and visual arts; international programs; performing arts; public relations and promotion; special events and women's programs.

Applications will be available in the SPB office until noon Friday, April 19. Interviews will be scheduled Monday through Wednesday, April 22 to 24, and final selections will be made by Friday, May 3. Students will assume their positions June 1.

For more information about the Student Program Board or the positions available, interested persons may contact the SPB at 1-602-2617.

Motorcycle riding class set at SIUE

A course in basic motorcycle riding techniques is being offered by the Office of Continuing Education at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville during April and May.

The course is designed for people who have never ridden a motorcycle, as well as those who have ridden up to 10,000 miles. It will teach participants to ride and how to make decisions necessary to ride safely. It will focus on the areas of maintenance and skill development, with emphasis on control and operational aspects essential for survival as a street rider.

Other motor vehicle drivers can benefit from the course by learning

firsthand about motorcycle experiences and about the necessity for developing respect and courtesy for all vehicles on the roadway.

Persons must be at least 16 years old and must have a valid driver's license or learner's permit. Those under 18 must have parental permission to enroll in the class.

There is no charge for the course, and motorcycles, helmets and insurance will be provided to the participants.

Six sections of the course are offered: Section 1: April 12 through 14, Friday, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Section 2: April 15 through 26, Mon-

day, Wednesday and Friday, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Section 3: April 16 through 27, Tuesday and Thursday, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Section 4: April 29 through May 3, Monday through Friday, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Section 5: May 3 through 5, Friday, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Section 6: May 6 through 17, Monday Wednesday and Friday, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m.

For more information about the registration, interested persons may call Conferences and Institutes at 1-692-2660.

New dean is named at Illinois College

Dr. John L. Nies, formerly vice president for academic affairs at Yankton College, has been appointed vice president for academic affairs at Illinois College, Jacksonville, Ill.

Dr. Nies replaces Dr. Wallace N. Jamison, who is retiring after devoting 15 years to Illinois College as vice president for academic affairs, as well as those who have served as dean of the college. Dr. Nies, his wife Lanette and 15-year-old daughter Kristina plan to move to Jacksonville in June before he takes over duties at the college in July. Dr. Jamison has said that he will remain through July to aid in the transition.

In making the announcement of the new appointment, Dr. Donald C. Mohndinger, president of the College, said that more than 70 applications for the position had been received during the six-month search for a new vice president.

Dr. Nies had served Yankton College, in Yankton, S.D., since 1968, when he became chairman of the history and political science department. He held various faculty administrative positions, becoming dean of the college in 1978, and was appointed vice president for academic affairs (dean of the college) one year later.

Dr. Nies received his Ph.D. history from the University of Nebraska in 1973. His fields of graduate study were Medieval History, Modern Europe, 1800 to present; United States History, Colonial Period to Present; and United States Diplomatic history.

He has held other teaching positions at Hastings College, Peru State College in Nebraska and at the University of Nebraska in Omaha.

The new Illinois College dean received his masters degree from the University of Nebraska in 1964, and his baccalaureate from Hastings College in 1962.

Senior Olympics scheduled at SIUE

The Southwestern Illinois Regional Senior Olympics are scheduled May 10 and 11, according to Reba Klenke, coordinator in the Office of Continuing Education at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Sponsored by the Southwest Illinois Agency on Aging and the university, the Olympics are also supported by the Kiwanis Club of Edwardsville, the Edwardsville YM-

CA, New Experience Tours, Inc. and Kentucky Fried Chicken.

PATTERNED AFTER the international Olympic games, the Senior Olympics are open to anyone 55 years of age or older. Gold, silver, and bronze medals are awarded to winners according to competition, age and sex. The activities are scheduled at the track field, University Center and the Vadalabene Center.


Registration is \$5 for people residing in the Illinois counties of St. Clair, Madison, Monroe, Bond, Clinton, Randolph, Washington, Calhoun, Greene, Macoupin, Montgomery and Jersey. Registration for others is \$7.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the SIUE Office of Continuing Education at 1-692-3210.

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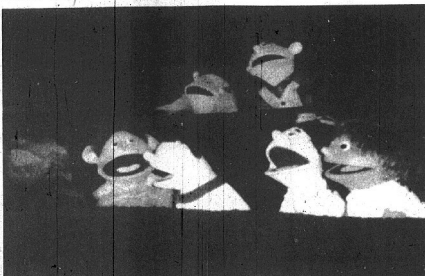
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EASTER PERFORMANCE: Puppets known as The Honors of Grace from Grace Baptist Church entertain at an Easter party at Brown's Recreation Center. The event was sponsored by Parents for Special Education for 30 elementary special students. Also entertaining were the clowns from the Elkettes Club.

Safety contest for Madison students

Madison schools, firemen and police are making a concerted effort to encourage citizens, especially children, to be safety conscious.

All elementary schools — Blair, Harris, St. Mary's and Louis Baer — are participating in a safety poster contest. Prizes for first, second and third place in each home room will be contributed by the Madison fire department.

First-place finishers also will compete for a bicycle from the police, one being given at each school.

Each school will be responsible for the judging of the posters and entering the names of the prize winners in the bicycle competition.

First-place prizes will be awarded at a safety program to be held at the Madison High School auditorium Monday, April 15, at 6:30 p.m.

Woman injured when car strikes guard rail

A Granite City woman was seriously injured at 2:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, when her car left Maryville Road, struck a guard rail and overturned.

According to Illinois state police, Linda S. Brawley, 34, of 2604 State St., was thrown from the vehicle when it crashed about 200 feet south of Terminal Avenue.

She was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center and then transferred to Firmin Desloge Hospital in St. Louis.

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SPRAY-PAINT PARKED AUTO

A green 1980 auto parked next to the apartment of James Daily, 3219 Maryville Road, was damaged when sprayed with red paint, the owner reported April 5.

250 MISSING FROM PURSE

After Susanne Fogle, 2323 E. 25th St., reported losing her purse April 5 at National Food Store, an officer found the purse in the 2400 block of Lincoln Avenue. A total of \$250 was missing, with the remaining items left intact, the owner said.

AUTHORITIES INVESTIGATE MITCHELL HOME BURGLARY

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The burglary was reported to authorities at 8:45 p.m. Friday, April 5. Taken were a video cassette recorder, two televisions, a stereo, a watch, tools and a toolbox and clock. Total value of the items is estimated at \$1,969.

ARSON SUSPECTED IN BACK DOOR FIRE

Robert Bolin, 2004 Dewey Ave., found the rear door at his home on fire when a friend went into the kitchen at 4:35 a.m. Saturday and noticed the blaze.

Bolin opened the door and saw a gasoline can between the exterior door and the storm door on fire, with the fire going up the outside wall of the residence, he said.

The blaze reached into the attic before being brought under control by Granite City firefighters. The burned gas can, which did not belong to Bolin, was found near the storm door, reports said.

The incident is under investigation.

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Serving our country

News of Quad-City area servicemen serving in the various branches of the U.S. military includes:



MICHAEL WEATHERLY

Air Force Senior Master Sgt. Michael Weatherly has been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal, First Oak Leaf Cluster, for outstanding work in radar evaluation and specialized radar engineering at 24 Air Force bases in the United States and Europe.

He is presently serving at the Korean Tactical Range in Korea, where he was promoted this month to his present rank.

Weatherly is married to the former Freda Gail Nickell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmos Nickell, 2622 Missouri Ave.

The service couple has two children, Brian Michael, 8, and Elizabeth Gail, 4. Mrs. Weatherly and the children presently are residing at Scott Air Force Base in Belleville, while Weatherly is in Korea.

To achieve the Meritorious Service Medal, the senior NCO identified and corrected problems with the video radar indicator and corrected problems with environmental clutter at Aviano Air Base, which resulted in better radar coverage and flight safety.

Weatherly also corrected problems with the glide path angle cursor and reworked radar range formulas used by evaluation engineers.

Initially selected by the commander of AFCC for promotion to

master sergeant under the stripes for exceptional performers program, Weatherly was chosen NCO for 1982.

He was a recipient of the Distinguished Graduate and the Military Excellence awards at the AFCC's NCO Academy, where he graduated third in a class of 144.

Weatherly is expected to arrive home from Korea about May 1 to spend a 30-day leave with his family. He will return to his overseas duty station May 31, remaining in Korea prior to reassignment in November, the family said.

JAMES HUMPHREY

Army Pvt. James R. Humphrey, son of James Humphrey of Granite City and Alice P. Ungemah of Leavenworth, Ind., has completed the Army's bridge crewman course under the One Station Unit Training (OSUT) program at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Students were taught the basics of construction; assembly of five types of bridges and the operation of various boats and trucks. Also instructed were demolition techniques, how to maneuver obstacles, map reading, land mine warfare and the use of engineer tools.

DARREL ROYER

Coast Guard Fireman Apprentice Darrell A. Royer, son of Barbara J. Royer, 2014 W. 22nd St., has graduated from Coast Guard recruit training.

Royer attended the eight-week training at the Coast Guard Training Center at Cape May, N.J., where he studied first aid, Coast Guard history, seamanship, communications, damage control firefighting and physical conditioning.

GREGORY SCHAEFER

Marine Cpl. Gregory E. Schaefer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. (Suzanne L.) Schaefer, 804 E. Chain of Rocks Road, recently reported for duty with the 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station at Cherry Point, N.C.

He joined the Marine Corps in Aug. 1983.

LISA CLEATON

Lisa L. Cleaton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. (Barbara J.) Cleaton, 1824 Edwardsville Road, Madison, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of airman first class.

Cleaton is an inventory management specialist with the 339th Supply Squadron at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Miss.

She is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School North.

TAMMY EVANS

Army Pvt. Tammy S. Evans, daughter of Wanda F. Warfield and stepdaughter of Bud G. Warfield, 1 Petunia Ave., has completed an Army administration course at Fort Jackson, S.C.

Students were trained in the preparation of military records and

forms. Instruction was also given in fundamentals of the Army filing system, typing and operation of office machines.

The serviceman is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School.

DARIN CLEMENTS

Airman Darin W. Clements, son of Mary K. Clements, 2115 Lee Ave., has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland AFB for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Completion of the training earned the individual credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Clements is a 1984 graduate of Granite City High School.

GLORIA MILLER

Army Pfc. Gloria L. Miller, daughter of Vivian G. McNeil, 809 Webster St., Madison, has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy and justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

RONALD MOUSSETTE

Marine Lance Cpl. Ronald C. Moussette, son of Edward and Anna P. Johnson, 2326 W. 24th St., recently operated in support of the Marine Amphibious Brigade combined arms exercise at Camp Wilson, Twentynine Palms, Calif.

He is a member of "C" Company, 1st Combat Engineer Battalion at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

In the exercise, Moussette and other members of "C" Company supported infantry units by breaching wire and mine obstacles and by providing needed instruction in these fields.

A 1982 graduate of Granite City High School South, he joined the Marine Corps in August 1983. His wife, Marsha, is the daughter of Charles and Fay Hamilton, 2819 Buxton Ave.

MERLE CASTELLINI

Staff Sgt. Merle L. Castellini, son of Merton E. and Martha G. Castellini, 2001 Rhodes St., Madison, has been decorated with the third award of the Army Commendation Medal at Fort Bragg, N.C.

The Army Commendation Medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Army.

Castellini is a section chief with the 82nd Airborne Division. He is a 1978 graduate of Madison High School.

His wife, Debbie, is the daughter of Henry and Ruby Bathon, 2031 Fifth St., Madison.



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USO VOLUNTEERS HONORED: Jacqueline Mullins, left, executive director of the USO at Lambert Airport, accepts a plaque honoring 350 volunteers who staff the facility 24 hours a day every week. Making the presentation of the plaque and a contribution is E. Gene Ross of Granite City, grand master of Masons of the State of Illinois.

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NEW LISTING: 604 E. Chain of Rocks Road. Large 8-room house. Two baths, two kitchens, two living rooms, three large porches, five bedrooms.

PRICED TO SELL: 2936 Denver. Five rooms.

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1922 EDWARDSVILLE ROAD: two bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths and full basement.

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2906 WEST 20TH: 3-bedroom frame with full basement.

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TC-24 HUGO: 1200 sq. ft. in Country Village Estates. Nice sloping lot for walkout basement. Also has trees. \$22,500.

TC-SPACIOUS FOUR BEDROOM FOYER on 1/2 acre corner lot. Stone fireplace with blower, range and microwave. \$57,500.

CR-PERFECT CONDITION is this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath. Foyer home in Collinsville. Has range and dishwasher. \$57,500.

FC-19 GREAT POTENTIAL 9 ROOM MOTEL. Office with living quarters plus 1500 sq. ft. brick building for use for Restaurant or Lounge. Plenty of parking.

GRANITE CITY LISTINGS

GRPS-REDUCED-OWNER TRANSFERRED! 3 bedroom, brick ranch on corner lot. Interior freshly painted; new carpet in living rm.; large deck with gas grill. Seller will pay! \$52,500.

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GRWS-KITCHEN CONTRACTOR'S HOME with many built in extras on corner lot has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family rm. with fireplace, screened in patio; 4 car garage.

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3 bedrooms, 2 baths

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4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths

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112 Country Aire (Country Village, Troy) \$84,500
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220 West Glen (Glenwood Estates) \$150,900
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Lot 178 Longbranch (Country Village, Troy) \$99,000
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15X60 LAMPTREE: 9900; 14x60, garden tub; \$7,500; 12x60, several to choose from, plus many other bargains. 1-270 Mobile Home Sales, 270 and Rt. 203, Granite City 797-1019. 4/11

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82 WINSTON: 12 take over, 14x60, 3 bedrooms, fireplace, dishwasher, many extras, on rented lot. 3078. 4/11

Upcoming events

Meetings

AL-ANON meets at 8 p.m. today, April 11, at McKinley School, 2nd floor.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. today, April 11, at the CVS Building, 1254 Niedringhaus Ave. For more information, call 452-1380 or 876-2383.

ANOREXIA-BULIMIA self-help group will meet at 7 p.m. today, April 11, at 2120 Madison Ave. This group is for anorexics, bulimics, friends, family and general public and is free of charge. For more information, call 876-7515.

OVEREATERS Anonymous will meet at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, in the Nursing Education Room at McKinley School. They will meet at 8 p.m. Friday, April 12, at the home of Ralph and Ladonna Walden, 2225 Delmar Ave. The program topic will be antiquities.

IRIS SOCIETY of Southern Illinois will hold its annual spring meeting at 1 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at the Community Center, 228 South Walnut St., Centralia. A judges training session will be held at 10 a.m. with a potluck luncheon at noon. All interested gardeners are invited to attend.

ILEITIS AND COLITIS Chapter will meet at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, in the East Pavilion Auditorium at Barnes Hospital. Dr. Ira Kodner will be guest speaker and his subject will be surgery management of IBD. People with these illnesses, their families and friends are encouraged to attend. For further information, call 314-432-5595 or 314-388-3395.

MADISON PROGRESSIVE Women's Club will hold their third annual awards program and tea at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at the Venice Recreation Center, 323 Broadway, Venice. A donation of \$2 is requested.

MS SUPPORT group will meet from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at 902 N. 2nd St., Eden Church of Christ, Edwardsville. For further information, call Bernice at 345-4545.

NEUROBROMATOSIS Foundation will meet at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, in room 228 of the Nurses' Residence, Barnes Hospital, St. Louis. Dr. Richard E. Hillman of the Department of Pediatrics at Washington University, will speak on how things are inherited or why we are different. For more information, call 314-343-1240.

Culinary fare
TASTE IT PARTY sponsored by the Madison County Farm Bureau Women's Committee, will begin with registration at 9:30 a.m. Friday, April 12, in the Madison County Farm Bureau auditorium, 390 Hillsboro Ave., Edwardsville. The public is invited to attend the party where many various dishes prepared for viewing and tasting will be on display. There will be recipes available and door prizes given.

PISH FRY sponsored by St. Cyril and Method Eastern Orthodox Church, will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, April 12, at the church, 470 Maryville Road. Dinners include cod or catfish fillets, slaw, french fries or Fahoos beef, dessert and coffee for \$3.50. Sandwiches are \$2. Carcuyots are available.

Sharing know-how
AMERICAN INDIAN tradition in herbalism is the topic of a lecture to be presented by E. Barrie Kavash at 7 p.m. Friday, April 12, in the Shoenberg Auditorium at the Missouri Botanical Garden. The source of herbs for food, medicine, fuel, cosmetics, music and many other uses in the American Indian culture will be described. Admission to the lecture at the garden is \$4 for garden members and \$5 for non-members. For more information, call 314-574-5740.

NURSING LIFE conference, presented by the School of Nursing at Missouri Baptist Hospital will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14, for people interested in nursing as a career. The conference will be held at the School of Nursing on the hospital campus, 3015 N. Ballas Road, Town and Country, Mo. Junior and senior high school students are invited to receive information about 1986-87 enrollment. For information about the conference or the school, call Dellah Canning, director, or Clark Triplett, admissions and financial aid coordinator at 314-569-5193.

CAROLIA MOUNDS State Historic Site Theater will present a free lecture, "An Introduction to Ethnobotany," from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at the state park, 7850 Collinsville Road, East St. Louis. In this lecture, plant knowledge and conservation practices of various Indian cultures will be discussed, along with the many ways that the earliest Americans used plants for art and technology and as sources of wild foods, beverages, medicines, smoking mixtures and chewing gum.

MOTORCYCLE COURSE will be offered at Bellevue College from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Friday, April 12, and from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, April 13 and 14. This is a free, non-credit course. Motorcycles, helmets and insurance are provided. Each student enrolling must be at least 16 years old, be an Illinois resident and possess a valid driver's license or permit.

DONATION STRATEGIES will be shown in a live broadcast of "More Low Cost Gift Strategies," from 10 a.m. until noon, Friday, April 12, at the Missouri Botanical Garden. The program will teach the basics of tax-advantaged giving through trusts, bequests and gifts. Experts on planned giving will lecture. Registration is \$40. For more information, call the Association of Hospital Television Networks at 412-622-1478.

BIKE WORKSHOP sponsored by the Roxana Recreation Department will be held from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, April 13, at the Roxana park maintenance building. Bicycle tune-up will be taught for persons ages 10 and over. Registration will be held at the Rox-Arena weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$2 for Roxana residents and \$5 for non-residents. Bicycle cleaning, adjustment and minor repairs will be discussed. Tools and other necessary accessories will be provided.

On stage

WYNTON MARSALIS Quintet will perform at 8 p.m. today, April 11, at Powell Symphony Hall, 718 North Grand, St. Louis. All seats are reserved and prices are \$15, \$13 and \$11. Tickets are available at the Record Company in Granite City, 876-7341.

"FACADE" and the world premiere of "Facade II," theatrical collages of dance, music by William Walton, and poetry by Edith Sitwell, will be presented at 8 p.m. April 12 through 14, in Edifice Theatre, located in the Mallinckrodt Center on the Washington University campus in St. Louis. For ticket information, call the box office at 1-314-889-6543.

TUBES AND UTOPIA will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at Kiel Opera House, 1416 Market St., St. Louis. Tickets are \$13.50 and are on sale at the Record Company in Granite City, 876-7341, or through Dialux, 1-314-421-1400.

ST. LOUIS CONSERVATORY Early Music Ensemble will hold its spring concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at CASA, The St. Louis Conservatory and School for the Arts, 560 Trinity Ave. at Delmar University City, Mo. The concert is free of charge.

SHAKESPEARE'S "THE COMEDY OF ERRORS" runs through Friday, April 12, on the Mainstage of the Repertory Theatre of St. Louis. Performances are at 8 p.m. today and Friday. Tickets range from \$6 to \$17.50. For tickets, interested persons may call 1-314-968-4925.

On exhibit

"CLAY ST. LOUIS" will be featured through April 27 at the St. Louis Contemporary Crafts Gallery, 35 Maryland Plaza, St. Louis. Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays.

"SURFACE-FUNCTION-SHAPE" a ceramic show, will run through Friday, April 12, in the University Center Art Gallery of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. For further information, interested persons may call 1-692-3146.

"PLANTS OF THE BIBLE" will be on display in the Mediterranean House at Missouri Botanical Garden from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. through May 5. Entrance is free. Information will be provided for the visitor.

HUMANE SOCIETY, along with animal welfare groups such as the Wolf Sanctuary, the Eagle (Raptor) Club, Open Door, Animal Rescue Foundation and Fido, will have their animals on display along with Fido, the 23-foot long inflatable whale, from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at Stupp Memorial Gardens, Tower Grove Park, Grand and Arsenal in South St. Louis.

Other events

SPINA BIFIDA Open House sponsored by the Greater St. Louis Spina Bifida Association, will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 12, in the Dant's Auditorium at Cardinal Hospital, 1465 S. Grand, St. Louis. Attendance prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. For further information, contact the Spina Bifida Association at 1-314-441-4707.

STAMP SHOW and sale sponsored by the South County Stamp Club will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, April 14, at the Rowdew Inn South, 3660 S. Lindbergh, near I-44, in St. Louis.

CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN sponsored by the Community Betterment Committee, will be held Saturday, April 13, and will run through Saturday, April 20.

RUMMAGE SALE sponsored by the youth choir of 1st Assembly of God Church, 24th and Grand Ave., will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 13, on the church parking lot. Proceeds from the sale will be used to finance a singing tour to be held this summer.

SPRING FASHION SHOW will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, April 12, at Blair School. Donation will be 50 cents for children and \$1 for adults.

SPRING TUNE UP for weekend athletes will be sponsored by Memorial Hospital in Belleville from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 13, in the physical therapy department. The cost is \$40 per person and includes a muscular/skeletal exam; foot examination; testing for muscle strength and other tests. Registration is limited. To make an appointment, call the hospital's physical therapy department at 1-233-7750, ext. 5250.

PREGNANCY TESTING and counseling is available from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, April 12, at the Madison County Urban League, 500 Madison Ave., Medicaid is accepted. No appointment is necessary.

YOUTH OVERNIGHT sponsored by the Tri-City Area YMCA will be held beginning at 8 p.m. Friday, April 12, for all participants in the YBA (youth basketball program). Parents are expected to pick their children up at 8 a.m. Saturday. Participants should wear comfortable clothing and soft-soled shoes, and bring a towel, sleeping bag, pillow and pajamas.

CHUCK ROSE BENEFIT Dinner and Dance will be held at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at the American Legion Hall, 1825 State St. Donation is \$7 per person and includes dinner, beer and set-ups. Music by Chuck Rose and the Drifters will begin at 9 p.m. All profits will go toward the purchase of an artificial leg for Chuck Rose. For information, call Sandy at 877-8721 or Tina at 876-1473.

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